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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* MILLER JAMES D (Last) (First) (Middle) 4724 SW MACADAM AVENUE			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BARRETT BUSINESS SERVICES INC [BBSI]		ionship of Reporting Person(s all applicable) Director Officer (give title	10% Owner Other (specify
		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/10/2006		Controller and Asst.	below) Secretary
(Street) PORTLAND	OR	97239	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indivi	dual or Joint/Group Filing (Che Form filed by One Reporting Form filed by More than On	g Person
(City)	(State)	(Zip)			. sss sy more than on	

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		(msu. 4)
Co	ommon Stock	02/10/2006		M		15,000	A	\$2	31,500	D	

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transac Code (In 8)		Derivative		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$2	02/10/2006		М			15,000	08/20/2003 ⁽¹⁾	08/20/2012	Common Stock	15,000	\$0	0	D	

Explanation of Responses: 1. Becomes exercisable in four equal installments beginning on the date shown. Vesting accelerated in full effective December 30, 2005.

<u>James D. Miller</u> <u>02/14/2006</u>

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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