

Green Richard B  
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**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section  
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement	3. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	
Â Green Richard B		(Month/Day/Year)	Embarq CORP [EQ]	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
		05/21/2007		
5454 W 110TH STREET			(Check all applicable)	
(Street)			<input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other (give title below)    (specify below) Controller	
OVERLAND PARK,Â KSÂ 66211			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock	693	D	Â

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. SEC 1473 (7-02)

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable    Expiration Date	Title    Amount or Number of			

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				Shares		(I) (Instr. 5)	
Restricted Stock Units	Â <u>(1)</u>	Â <u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	1,988	\$ 0	D	Â
Restricted Stock Units	Â <u>(2)</u>	Â <u>(2)</u>	Common Stock	5,189	\$ 0	D	Â
Restricted Stock Units	Â <u>(3)</u>	Â <u>(3)</u>	Common Stock	261	\$ 0	D	Â
Restricted Stock Units	Â <u>(4)</u>	Â <u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	4,612 <u>(4)</u>	\$ 0	D	Â
NQ Stock Option	05/18/2006	02/08/2009	Common Stock	7,720	\$ 72.45	D	Â
NQ Stock Option	05/18/2006	01/03/2010	Common Stock	1,345	\$ 91.38	D	Â
NQ Stock Option	05/18/2006	01/24/2010	Common Stock	1,022	\$ 91.38	D	Â
NQ Stock Option	05/18/2006	02/08/2010	Common Stock	92	\$ 91.38	D	Â
NQ Stock Option	05/18/2006	08/07/2010	Common Stock	632	\$ 91.38	D	Â
NQ Stock Option	05/18/2006	05/11/2011	Common Stock	3,488	\$ 91.38	D	Â
NQ Stock Option	05/18/2006	03/27/2013	Common Stock	1,008	\$ 16.08	D	Â
NQ Stock Option	05/18/2006	03/27/2013	Common Stock	2,017	\$ 21.9	D	Â
NQ Stock Option	02/10/2008	02/10/2014	Common Stock	1,372	\$ 33.34	D	Â
NQ Stock Option	02/10/2008	02/10/2014	Common Stock	686	\$ 33.86	D	Â
NQ Stock Option	Â <u>(5)</u>	02/08/2015	Common Stock	3,493	\$ 45.19	D	Â
NQ Stock Option	Â <u>(6)</u>	02/07/2016	Common Stock	7,446	\$ 45.06	D	Â
NQ Stock Option	Â <u>(7)</u>	02/22/2017	Common Stock	5,850	\$ 56.43	D	Â
NQ Stock Option	Â <u>(7)</u>	02/22/2017	Common Stock	1,670	\$ 60.98	D	Â

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Green Richard B 5454 W 110TH STREET OVERLAND PARK, KS 66211	Â	Â	Â Controller	Â

## Signatures

Tracy D. Mackey,  
attorney-in-fact

05/23/2007

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(b)(v).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Units vest and shares will be delivered to reporting person in 2 equal annual installments beginning on May 21, 2008.
- (2) Units vest and shares will be delivered to reporting person in 2 equal installments beginning on February 7, 2008.
- (3) Units vest and shares will be delivered to reporting person on February 8, 2008.

Units vest and shares will be delivered to reporting person in 2 equal installments beginning on February 22, 2009. These restricted stock units are subject to forfeiture or grant of additional units based upon achievement of specified financial objectives related to return on

- (4) invested capital, as adjusted for certain items, and total shareholder return relative to the S&P 500 Index. The number of RSUs awarded will be adjusted based on the Company's performance at the end of 2008 with respect to the shares vesting on February 22, 2009, and at the end of 2009 with respect to the shares vesting on February 22, 2010.
- (5) Option vests in 2 equal annual installments beginning February 8, 2008.
- (6) Options vest in 2 equal installments beginning on February 7, 2008.
- (7) Options vest in 3 annual installments with 34% vesting on February 22, 2008 and 33% vesting on each of February 22, 2009 and February 22, 2010.

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