FORM 4

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obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* COLLIER JAMES					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CIENA CORP [CIEN]										Check	all app	o of Reportin blicable) ctor er (give title	ig Pers	10% C	
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O CIENA CORPORATION 1201 WINTERSON ROAD			03/	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/07/2006									SrVP, Worldwide Sales							
(Street) LINTHICUM MD 21090 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 03/08/2006									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
		Tabl	e I - Noi	n-Deriv	ative	Se	curitie	s Acc	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or	Ben	efici	ally (Owne	ed			
Date				Date	e Enth/Day/Year) if		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Dispose Code (Instr. 5)		Disposed	rities Acquired (A) ed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			nd	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		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	Trar		ction(s) 3 and 4)			(111501.4)
Common Stock (03/07	3/07/2006				A		4,688(1)	A	\$0		89,000(3)			D	
Common	Stock			03/07	03/07/2006				F		1,498	2)	D	\$4.64		4 87,502 ⁽³⁾			D	
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	conversion or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) price of Derivative Security Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code (8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		rative rities ired r osed) : 3, 4	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Expiration Exercisable Date			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amoun or Numbe of Title Shares		ount nber	nt er		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ov Fo Di or (I)	wnership orm: rect (D) Indirect (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Represents shares underlying a restricted stock unit award previously reported in Table I of reporting person's Form 4 filed November 3, 2005. Shares acquired reflect the first of 16 quarterly vesting dates under the restricted stock unit award.
- 2. Represents shares forfeited pursuant to the award agreement to cover the tax liability of the reporting person for the vested shares acquired.
- 3. This amendment corrects information in column 5 and footnote (1) in reporting person's Form 4 filed March 8, 2006.

/s/James F. Collier III by Anita Weiskerger per POA

03/13/2006

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (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).

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