INFORMATION HOLDINGS INC
Form 5
February 14, 2001

FORM 5

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Secti
Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(f) of the Investment C

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	6. Relatio Issuer
Slaine	Mason	P.	Information Holdings Inc. (IHI)	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. IRS or Social Security Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (Voluntary)	4. Statement for Month/Year Year end 12/31/00	[X] Di [X] Of ti Pr
c/o Information Holdings Inc. 2777 Summer Street, Suite 209				5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Year)	7. Individ (Check [X] Form f [ ] Form f Person
(Street)					
Stamford	Connecticut	06905			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)			

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disp

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Trans-action Date (Month/ Day/ Year)	3. Trans-action Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amo Sec Ben Own of Fis (In and

			Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	

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

FORM 5 (continued) Table II -- Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficiall
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securiti

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr.3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	
				(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date
Employee Stock Option (option to buy)	37.25	3/15/00	A	A		(1)	3/15/10

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8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned at End of Year (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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Explanation of Responses:

(1) 100,000 options are exercisable on 3/15/01; 100,000 options are exercisable on 3/15/02

/s/ Mason P.

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**Signature of

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