DEX MEDIA INC Form 4 February 02, 2006

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b). (Print or Type Responses)

Name and Address of Reporting Person * Cousins Helen			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
			DEX MEDIA INC [DEX]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction			
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner		
C/O DEX MEDIA INC., 198 INVERNESS DRIVE WEST (Street)			01/31/2006	X Officer (give title Other (specif		
				below) below) Senior VP & CIO		
			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Chec		
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line)		
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ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112

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1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities	5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	onAcquired (A) or	Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	Disposed of (D)	Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership
					Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
				(4)	Reported		
				(A)	Transaction(s)		
			Code V	or Amount (D) Pric	e (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	01/31/2006		D	8,000 D <u>(1)</u>	0	D	

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

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

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)			Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) A) or of (D)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 4.64	01/31/2006		D		224,480 (2)	(2)	11/17/2013	Common Stock	224,48

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Cousins Helen C/O DEX MEDIA INC. 198 INVERNESS DRIVE WEST ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112			Senior VP & CIO			

Signatures

/s/ Suzanne Yazzie, Attorney in Fact for Reporting
Person 02/02/2006

Explanation of Responses:

**Signature of Reporting Person

- * 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).

Disposed of pursuant to merger agreement between issuer and R.H. Donnelley Corporation in exchange for 1,932 shares of R.H.

Donnelley Corporation common stock having a market value of \$64.01 per share on the effective date of the merger and \$98,400 in cash.

Date

(1) Donnelley Corporation common stock having a market value of \$64.01 per share on the effective date of the merger and \$98,400 in cash. In the merger agreement, each share of Dex Media, Inc. common stock outstanding immediately prior to the effective time of the merger was converted into the right to receive .24154 of a share of R.H. Donnelley Corporation common stock and \$12.30 in cash.

This option, which provided for vesting in 25% of these shares in five equal installments of 5% beginning December 31, 2004 and in the remaining 75% of these shares on the eighth anniversary of the grant date, subject to earlier vesting based on the issuer's satisfaction of certain performance criteria for each of the calendar years ending December 31st of 2004 through 2008, was assumed by RHD pursuant

(2) certain performance criteria for each of the calendar years ending December 31st of 2004 through 2008, was assumed by RHD pursuant to the merger agreement and replaced with an option to purchase 96,699 shares RHD common stock at an exercise price of \$10.78 per share.

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