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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Murphy Kent A	2. Date of Event Requiring States Month/Day/Yea 06/02/2006	atement Year) LUNA INNOVATIONS INC [LUNA]								
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O LUNA INNOVATIONS INCORPORATED 2851 COMMERCE STREET			Relationship of Reporting Perso (Check all applicable) X Director X X Officer (give title below)	()	(Mo	5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)				
(Street) BLACKSBURG VA 24060 (City) (State) (Zip)			Chairman, CEO, Pres	. and Treas	l '''	Form filed by	y One Reporting Person y More than One erson			
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned										
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)			2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)			4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)				
Common Stock			2,637,161	D						
Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)										
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4) 2. Dat Expir (Mont			3. Title and Amount of Securit Underlying Derivative Securit		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	5. Ownership Form: Direct (D)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)			
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	n Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative Security	or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)				
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(1)	05/20/2010	Common Stock	113,047	0.3892	D				

Explanation of Responses:

 $1.\,1/4$ of the option shares became exercisable on May 20, 2006. The remaining option shares are exercisable at a rate of 1/36 per month thereafter.

/s/ Aaron S. Hullman, Esq., Attorney-in-Fact 06/02/2006

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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