ARCHIPELAGO HOLDINGS INC Form 8-K/A January 04, 2006

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 20549

FORM 8-K/A

CURRENT REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15 (d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

December 30, 2005

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported)

Archipelago Holdings, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

001-32274 (Commission File Number)

86-1075595 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

100 South Wacker Drive, Suite 1800, Chicago, IL 60606

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(312) 960-1696

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

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Not applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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Item 1.01 ENTRY INTO A MATERIAL DEFINITIVE AGREEMENT

This Amendment No. 1 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed on December 30, 2005 by Archipelago Holdings, Inc., a Delaware Corporation, is being filed soley to correct a typographical error in the number of options vesting for Mathew Gelber as reported under Item 1.01 from 44,037 to 0. The Current Report on Form 8-K filed on December 30, 2005 is hereby incorporated into this Amendment No. 1.

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SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Date: January 3, 2006 Archipelago Holdings, Inc.

/s/ Nelson Chai Chief Financial Officer

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