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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1. Name and A Person * Freitas L De			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 09/15/2005	ing Symbol NAL LTD [GTI]							
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)		4. Relationsh Person(s) to	nip of Reporting Issuer	g	5. If Amendment, Date Origina Filed(Month/Day/Year)				
C/O GRAF INTERNAT CONCORD	CIONAL,Â PIKE, SU (Street)	JITE 301		(Check Directo Officer (give title belo	x all applicable	Owner er ow)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - N	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned							
1.Title of Secu (Instr. 4)	rity		2. Amount o Beneficially (Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Na Owne (Instr	•				
Common St	ock		22,771		D (1)	Â					
Common St	ock		15,000		D (2)	Â					
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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Time options (right to buy)	(3)	02/08/2006	Common Stock	6,000	\$ 35	D	Â
Time options (right to buy)	(4)	09/29/2008	Common Stock	6,000	\$ 17.06	D	Â
Time options (right to buy)	(5)	12/31/2008	Common Stock	35,000	\$ 6.56	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Freitas Luiz Augusto Barros De C/O GRAFTECH INTERNATIONAL 1521 CONCORD PIKE, SUITE 301 WILMINGTON, DEÂ 19803

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Signatures

/s/Karen G. Narwold, Attorney-in-fact for Luiz A. Freitas

09/26/2005

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).
- (1) On May 25, 2005, the Company granted 22,771 restricted shares, valued at the then current market price of \$3.80 per share, subject to a two-year cliff vesting period.
- (2) On August 31, 2005, the Company granted 15,000 restricted shares, valued at the then current market price of \$5.94 per share, under the Company's Long Term Incentive Plan, of which one-third will vest on August 31 of each of 2006, 2007, and 2008.
- (3) Of such options, 2,000 vested on August 28, 1997, and 4,000 vested on February 8, 2004.
- (4) Of such options, 2,000 vested on each of May 21, 1999, July 14, 1999, and September 29, 1999.
- Such options will vest on July 31, 2008 or earlier on March 31, 2006 if certain cash flow performance targets are achieved in each of 2003, 2004 and 2005 under the Company's Long Term Incentive Plan. For each year that such targets are achieved, one-third of the options granted will vest on March 31, 2006. If not previously exercised, these options will expire on December 31, 2008. 11,666 of such options will vest on March 31, 2006.

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