

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>STALEY JAMES D</u>	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) <u>12/11/2003</u>	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>YELLOW ROADWAY CORP [YELL]</u>	
		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)	
		5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) <u>12/18/2003</u>	
		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	
(Last) (First) (Middle) <u>1077 GORGE BLVD</u>		Director 10% Owner	
(Street) <u>AKRON OH 44310</u>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <u>Chief Exec. Officer, Roadway</u>	
(City) (State) (Zip)			

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
<u>Common Stock</u>	<u>8,879⁽¹⁾</u>	<u>D</u>	

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

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 Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			

Explanation of Responses:

1. The original Form 3 filed by the reporting person mistakenly excluded 2,747 shares of the issuer's stock that the reporting person received upon consummation of the merger of Roadway Corporation into Yankee LLC, a wholly owned subsidiary of the issuer, in exchange for 2,767 shares of common stock of Roadway Corporation. Because of this error, these 2,747 shares were mistakenly excluded from reporting in Column 5 of Table 1 in all Forms 4 filed by the reporting person prior to January 31, 2005. The 8,879 shares shown in this Form 3 Amendment are the number of shares of the issuer's common stock that the reporting person directly held as of December 11, 2003. As of January 31, 2005, the reporting person directly holds 42,489 shares of the issuer's common stock, which includes the 2,747 shares mentioned above. Prior reports of the number of shares of the issuers stock that the reporting person indirectly holds in his 401(k) account are correct.

Remarks:

/s/ James D. Staley

02/01/2005

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

* 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).

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