## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT	OF CHA	NGES IN	BENEFICIAL	<b>OWNERSHIP</b>

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Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>CRUDUP ROBERT</u>					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SEI INVESTMENTS CO [ SEIC ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issue (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Own				ner
(Last) (First) (Middle) ONE FREEDOM VALLEY DRIVE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/14/2005								below)	(give title recutive Vice Pr		Other (s below) resident	pecify
(Street) OAKS (City)	PA (S		19456 (Zip)		4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						Line	ndividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable e)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
		Tal	ole I - Non	-Derivat	ive Se	ecuritie	s Ac	quired, [	Disp	osed o	f, or Ber	neficially	y Owned				
D			2. Transact Date (Month/Day	Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acquired (A) of Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4) 5)		d (A) or r. 3, 4 and	5. Amour Securitie Beneficia Owned F Reported	es For ally (D) Following (I) (		Ownership m: Direct or Indirect (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
							Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transact (Instr. 3 a	n(s) id 4)			(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock												30,370			D		
			Table II - D					uired, Di					Owned				
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)	Cod	saction e (Instr.	of E		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	e s illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Cod	e V	(A)		Date Exercisable		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$38.54	12/14/2005		A		15,000		12/14/2012	1) 1	12/14/2015	Common Stock	15,000	\$0	15,00	0	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. The option vests upon the earlier of the Issuer's attainment of specific levels of earnings per share or seven years from the date of the grant. The option will expire on the ten year anniversary of the date of the grant.

## Remarks:

Ruth A. Montgomery
(Attorney-in-fact)

12/15/2005

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- $^{\star}$  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).

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KNOW ALL BY THESE PRESENTS, THAT THE UNDERSIGNED HEREBY CONSTITUTES AND APPOINTS

EACH OF Ruth Montgomery, SOFIA ROSALA AND N. JEFFREY KLAUDER SIGNING SINGLY,

THE UNDERSIGNED'S TRUE AND LAWFUL ATTORNEY-IN-FACT TO:

- (1) execute for and on behalf of the undersigned, in the undersigned's capacity as an officer and/or director of SEI Investment Company (the "Company"),

  Forms 3, 4, and 5 in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities

  Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules thereunder;
- (2) do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such Form 3, 4 or 5 and and timely file such form with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or other similar authority; and
- (3) take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to, in the best interest of, or legally required by, the undersigned, it being understood that the documents executed by such attorney-in-fact on

form and shall contain such terms and conditions as such attorney-in-fact may approve in such attorney-in-fact's discretion.

behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such

The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary, or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney-in-fact, or such attorney-in-fact's substitute or substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this power of attorney and the rights and powers herein granted. The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorneys-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, are not assuming, nor is the Company assuming, any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4, and 5 with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transactions in securities issued by the Company, unless earlier revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the

foregoing attorneys-in-fact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be

executed as of this 15th day of June 2005.

/S/ Robert F. Crudup

Signature

Robert F. Crudup

Print Name