FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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	Address of Reporting F		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>RAYONIER INC</u> [RYN]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner
(Last) (First) 50 N. LAURA STREET SUITE 1900		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/23/2009	X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) SR VP, FOR RESRCS
(Street) JACKSON (City)	VILLE FL (State)	32202 (Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5 Code (Instr.				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V		Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1130.4)
Common Shares	03/23/2009		М		8,903	A	\$17.51	204,657	D	
Common Shares	03/23/2009		М		3,097	A	\$14.35	207,754	D	
Common Shares	03/23/2009		S ⁽¹⁾		12,000	D	\$ <mark>30</mark>	195,754	D	
Common Shares								37,698.0699	Ι	In Trust ⁽²⁾

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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)	4.5. Number of DerivativeCode (Instr. 8)Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/)	ate	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	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		
Employee Stock Option	\$17.51 ⁽³⁾	03/23/2009		М			8,903 ⁽³⁾	01/03/2003	01/05/2010	Common Shares	8,903	\$0	0	D	
Employee Stock Option	\$14.35 ⁽⁴⁾	03/23/2009		М			3 , 097 ⁽⁴⁾	01/02/2004	01/04/2011	Common Shares	3,097	\$0	18,269	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. The sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on February 26, 2009.

2. Shares are held in the Rayonier Investment and Savings Plan, a 401(k) plan, for this person's account.

3. This option was previously reported as having 3,333 remaining options at an exercise price of \$46.75 per share, but was adjusted to reflect the stock split on 6/12/2003, the special dividend paid 12/19/2003 and the stock split on 10/17/2005.

4. This option was previously reported as covering 8,000 shares at an exercise price of \$38.31 per share, but was adjusted to reflect the stock split on 6/12/2003, the special dividend paid 12/19/2003 and the stock split on 10/17/2005

Remarks:

W. Edwin Frazier, III, Attorney-in-Fact

03/25/2009

Date

** Signature of Reporting Person

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

 \ast 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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