FORM 3

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Last) C/O EVERCORE PAI	(First) RTNERS INC.	(Middle)			Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director	10% Owner Other (specify below)		5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		
55 EAST 52ND STREET, 43RD FLOOR (Street)					X Officer (give title below) Co-Vice Chairman			Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)								
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned										
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)					3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)			
Shares of Class A common stock, par value \$.01 per share				1,413,557	D					
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)				(Instr. 4) Exert of De		4. Conversion of Exercise Price of Derivative	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	Security			

Explanation of Responses:

/s/ Edward Shen, as Attorney-in-fact
** Signature of Reporting Person

12/28/2006 Date

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

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* 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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Exhibit 24

POWER OF ATTORNEY

Know all by these presents, that the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints each of Roger C. Altman, Austin M. Beutner, David E. Wezdenko, Adam B. Frankel, Thomas J. Gavenda, Michael P. Riordan, Scott Graham, Kathryn K. Sudol and Edward Shen as 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 a nd/or director of Evercore Partners Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Company"), Forms 3, 4, and 5 in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules thereunder and in connection with any applications for EDGAR access codes, including without limitation the Form ID;
- (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, 5, or Form ID, complete and execute any amendment or amendments thereto, and timely file such form with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or 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 behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such form and shall contain such terms and conditions as such attorney-in-fact may approve in such attorney-in-fact's discretion.

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 requising knowledges 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

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned, after becoming subject to the requirements to file Forms 3, 4 ar

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 27th day of December, 2006.

/s/ Bernard J. Taylor Bernard J. Taylor

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