

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* JEFFERIES ROBERT A JR _____ (Last) (First) (Middle) NO 1 LEGGETT ROAD _____ (Street) CARTHAGE MO 64836 _____ (City) (State) (Zip)			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LEGGETT & PLATT INC [LEG] _____ 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/21/2005			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below) Senior VP; Advisory Director / Senior VP; Advisory Director		
			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> 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)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	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			
Common Stock	03/21/2005		M		15,000	A	\$17.69	244,426.3617	D	
Common Stock	03/21/2005		M		61,275	A	\$20	305,701.3617	D	
Common Stock	03/21/2005		M		5,000	A	\$21.01	310,701.3617	D	
Common Stock	03/21/2005		M		10,000	A	\$22.3	320,701.3617	D	
Common Stock	03/21/2005		F		72,011	D	\$29.11	248,690.3617	D	
Common Stock	03/21/2005		S		19,264	D	\$29.27	229,426.3617	D	
Common Stock								130,988.6408	I	Held in Trust under Issuer's Retirement Plan
Common Stock								50,000	I	Spouse Trust

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		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(s) (Instr. 4)	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				
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$17.69	03/21/2005		M		15,000		07/02/2002 ⁽¹⁾	01/03/2011	Common Stock	15,000	\$17.69	0	D	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$20	03/21/2005		M		61,275		10/12/2000 ⁽²⁾	04/11/2009	Common Stock	61,275	\$20	0	D	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$21.01	03/21/2005		M		5,000		07/22/2004 ⁽³⁾	01/21/2013	Common Stock	5,000	\$21.01	10,000	D	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$22.3	03/21/2005		M		10,000		07/16/2003 ⁽⁴⁾	01/15/2012	Common Stock	10,000	\$22.3	5,000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- The option became exercisable in three annual installments beginning on July 2, 2002.
- The option became exercisable in three annual installments beginning on October 12, 2000.
- The option became exercisable as to 5,000 shares on July 22, 2004, and will become exercisable as to 5,000 shares on each of July 22, 2005 and July 22, 2006.
- The option became exercisable as to 5,000 shares on each of July 16, 2003 and July 16, 2004, and will become exercisable as to the remaining 5,000 shares on July 16, 2005.

John A. Lyckman

03/22/2005

** 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 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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