FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* DOWNES JOSEPH D JR							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LEGGETT & PLATT INC [LEG]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify)						
(Last) NO 1 LE	(First) (Middle) LEGGETT ROAD						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/04/2005									X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Senior Vice President						
(Street) CARTHA	CARTHAGE MO 64836					4. 11	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
					Non-Deriv	/ative	Sec	urities	s A	cquir	ed, C	Disposed o	of, or E	Benefic	ially	/ Own	====== ed					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Ye						2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)			Acquired (A) or D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5		5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
									Ì	Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Reporte Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(Instr. 4)		
Common	Stock				03/04/20	005				A		85.3943	A	\$22.	52	49,03	39.3937		D			
Common Stock 03/04/2005						005	5			A		615.4153	A	\$23.9	275	49,6	54.809		D			
Common Stock															27,22	25.2246		I	Held in Trust under Issuer's Retirement Plan			
Common Stock																19	,050		I	Wife		
			Та	ble I								posed of, , convertib				Owned			·			
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversio or Exercis Price of Derivative Security	on D se (f	. Transaction ate Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date,			ansaction of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Expi (Mor	ration hth/Day	Date Amo (/Year) Secu Unda Derit Secu and 4		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) Amount or Number of Title Shares		Price of Privative Curity Str. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ly C	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		

Explanation of Responses:

John A. Lyckman

03/07/2005

** 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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