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* <u>JETT ERNES C</u>						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol LEGGETT & PLATT INC [ LEG ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner  Officer (cive title Check (specific					
(Last)	(Fii GGETT RC	(First) (Middle) Γ ROAD				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/14/2005								X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Senior VP, Gen Counsel					
(Street) CARTHAGE MO 64836  (City) (State) (Zip)				4. If	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					
		Tabl	e I - No	on-Deriv	ative/	Sec	uritie	s Ac	quired	l, Dis	sposed o	f, or E	enefic	cially	/ Owne	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transacti Date (Month/Day					Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a 5)					6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
									Code	v	Amount	(A) o (D)	Price	e	Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(Instr. 4)
Common Stock 01/14/20					2005				A		45	A	\$2	3.6	71	,125		D	
Common Stock															7,819		I		Held in Trust under Issuer's Retirement Plan
	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)	Execution if any			ransaction Code (Instr.		of		Exerc ion Da /Day/Y		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		De Se (In	Price of crivative curity estr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership ct (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	able	Expiration Date	Title	of Shares						

Explanation of Responses:

John A. Lyckman

01/18/2005

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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