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]								(Che	ck all app Direc	plicable)		10% Owner Other (specify below) ice President	
(Last)	(Fi GGETT RO	(First) (Middle)				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/24/2012									below)				
(Street) CARTHAGE MO 64836 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. 11	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Line)	ndividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable e) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
		Tabl	le I - I	Non-Deriv	ative	Sec	uritie	s A	cquir	ed, D	isposed o	of, or E	Benefic	iall	y Own	ed			
Dat			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/	/ear)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, ar) if any (Month/Day/Year)		·	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and					es ally Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
								Ī	Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Reporte Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(Instr. 4)
Common	Stock			08/24/20	12				Α		28.5746	A	\$20.30	065	155,010.9069 D				
Common Stock															37,6	67.015		I	Held In Trust Under Issuer's Retirement Plan
		Та	able I	I - Derivat (e.g., pı							posed of, convertik				Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	ve Conversion Date Execution Date, Tran or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any Code		Transa Code (of Deriva Secur Acqui (A) or Dispo	erivative (Month/Date equired) or sposed (D) sstr. 3, 4						nt .		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)		

Explanation of Responses:

<u>/s/ S. Scott Luton, by POA</u> <u>08/28/2012</u>

** 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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