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* BENTELE RAYMOND F							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LEGGETT & PLATT INC [LEG]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
(Last) (First) (Middle) NO 1 LEGGETT ROAD						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/15/2005										Office below	er (give title		10% Owner Other (specify below)			
(Street) CARTHAGE MO 64836 (City) (State) (Zip)					_ 4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										ndividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable b) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
		Tabl	e I - No	n-Deriv	/ative	Se	curitie	s Ac	quired	, Dis	posed o	f, or	Bene	ficia	ally O	wne	ed					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						Execution Date,			Code	Transaction Dispo Code (Instr. 5)			rities Acquired (A) ed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			Securi Benefi	cially I Following	6. Owner Form: D (D) or Ir (I) (Insti	Direct ndirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or D)	Price	_ т	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				()		
Common Stock																90.1876		Г)			
Common Stock 04/15/2						5			A	A		4	A	\$21.8		4,709.6069		I		Living 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)		Of Deriving Securated Acqui (A) of Disposition Of (Disposition)	of		6. Date Exercisable a Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		8. Pric Deriva Securi (Instr.	vative urity ir. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	Owi Fori Dire or Ii (I) (I	nership m: ect (D) ndirect nstr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Code	v			Date Exercisa	Date Expi Exercisable Date		or Number of Title Shares											

Explanation of Responses:

John A. Lyckman

04/18/2005

** 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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