FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT	OF CHANGES	IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>DOWNES JOSEPH D JR</u>					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							
(Last) (First) (Middle) NO 1 LEGGETT ROAD				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/30/2006								3	below)	fficer (give title Other (spe elow) below) Senior Vice President				ecify		
(Street)	AGE M	0	64836			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting						
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)											Person						
		Tab	le I - No	on-Deri	vative	Sec	curiti	ies Ac	quired	l, Dis	sposed c	f, or Be	nefic	iall	y Owned	l				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Da				Execution Date,					es Acquired (A) or Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and			Beneficially Owned Follow		Form: I (D) or I		Indire Bene Owne	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
								Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	•	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock		01/30	/2006				M		1,512	A	\$0.	.01 55,756.6285		6285	D					
Common Stock													27,538.1636		I		Held in Trust under Issuer's Retirement Plan			
Common Stock													19,050		I		Wife			
	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	Date (Month/Day/Year) i	Execution if any			ection Instr.	on of		6. Date Exercis Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea		e	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)			3. Price of Derivative Security Instr. 5)	9. Numb derivativ Securiti Benefic Owned Followin Reporte Transac (Instr. 4)	ve es ially ng ed etion(s)	10. Owners Form: Direct (I or Indire (I) (Instr	hip c E O) C ect (11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)		Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numl of Share	ber						
Stock Options (Right to	\$0.01	01/30/2006			M			1,512	12/31/19	998	12/23/2012	Common Stock	1,51	12	\$0	0		D		

Explanation of Responses:

John G. Moore

01/31/2006

** 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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^{**} Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).