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* DOWNES JOSEPH D JR						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LEGGETT & PLATT INC [LEG]									5. Relationship of Report (Check all applicable) Director Officer (give title			10% Owner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) NO 1 LEGGETT ROAD						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/22/2005									belov	Other below esident	(specify)		
(Street) CARTHA			54836 (Zip)		4.1	4. If Amendment, Date of Orig					iled (Month/D		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
1. Title of S	Security (Ins		le I -	2. Transactio		2A. De	emed		3.		Disposed of	Acquired	(A) or		5. Amou	unt of			7. Nature of
3,,			Date (Month/Day/	Year)	ear) if any		tion Date, n/Day/Year)	Transa Code (8)		Disposed Of	(D) (Instr. 3, 4 and		5)	Securiti Benefic Owned Reporte	ially Following	Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Indirect tr. 4)	Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(III3ti: 4)
Common Stock 0			07/22/20	05				A		110.3947	A	\$20.9	904 51,5		78.2535	D	D		
Common Stock			07/22/2005					A		54.4985	A	\$22.2	105 51,6		32.752	I	D		
Common Stock															27,2	16.616		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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Executif any	eemed ution Date, th/Day/Year)	4. Transa Code 8)	(Instr.	5. Nu of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) of Dispo of (D) (Instrand 5	rative rities iired r osed) r. 3, 4	Expi (Mor	ration hth/Day	y/Year) Expiration	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) Amount or Number of Title Shares		De Se (In	Price of rivative curity str. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactic (Instr. 4)	ly D	.0. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

Explanation of Responses:

John A. Lyckman

07/25/2005

** 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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