FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name an	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol LEGGETT & PLATT INC [ LEG ]									ck all app	,	ting Per	rson(s) to I						
(Last) NO 1 LE	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/15/2004								X	X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)  Executive Vice President									
(Street) CARTHAGE MO 64836  (City) (State) (Zip)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									dividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable )  Compared to the compared t				
		Tal	ble I - N	on-Deriva	ative	Sec	uritie	s Ac	quirec	l, Di	sposed o	f, or E	enefic	cially	y Own	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transaction Date (Month/Day)					Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) o Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a 5)				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) o	Price	9	Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)			msu. 4)
Common	Stock			01/15/2	004			A		68	A	\$18	3.55	54,551 <sup>(1)</sup>		]	D		
Common Stock 01/15/20					004				A		60	A	\$21	1.82	54,611(1)		]	D	
Common	Stock														12,	170 <sup>(2)</sup>		I	Held in Trust under Issuer's Retirement Plan
		-	Table II -								osed of,				Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	of 2. 3. Transaction 3A. Deemed of Date Execution Date Execution Date if any		med on Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number			Exercion Da	ear) Securitie Underlyii Derivativ Security and 4)		and t of ies /ing ive	8. De Se (In	Price of erivative ecurity estr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactic (Instr. 4)	ly C	LO. Dwnership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Balance has been updated to reflect the acquisition of 349 shares under Issuer's 1989 Discount Stock Plan in transactions exempt under Rule 16b-3(c).
- 2. Balance has been updated to reflect the acquisition of 233 shares under Issuer's Restated Stock Bonus Plan in transactions exempt under Rule 16b-3(c).

John A. Lyckman

01/20/2004

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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