SEC Form 4

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 Addre | 1 0 | Person* | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>LEGGETT & PLATT INC</u> [LEG] | | ationship of Reporting Pe k all applicable) Director | 10% Owner | |
|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------|--|------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|--|
| (Last) NO 1 LEGGET | (First) (Middle) EGGETT ROAD | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/02/2009 | | Officer (give title below) Senior Vice P | Other (specify below) resident | |
| (Street) CARTHAGE (City) | MO (State) | 64836 (Zip) | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | 6. Indiv Line) X | vidual or Joint/Group Filir Form filed by One Re Form filed by More the Person | porting Person | |

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | | | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership |
|---------------------------------|--|---|---|---|----------|---------------|----------|---|---|---|
| | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | (Instr. 4) |
| Common Stock | 01/02/2009 | | A | | 114.9445 | A | \$13.328 | 42,949.742 | D | |
| Common Stock | 01/02/2009 | | A | | 88.577 | A | \$12.544 | 43,038.319 | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | 33 | Ι | Family Trust |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | 600 | Ι | Spouse As Custodian For Children |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | 2,644.967 | I | Held In Trust Under Issuer's Retirement Plan |

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. Transa Code (8) | | of | | 6. Date Exerci Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Ye | te | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 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) |
|---|---|--|---|------------------------------|---|--------|-----|---|--------------------|---|--|---|--|--|--|
| | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | |
| Stock Options (Right to Buy) | \$15.68 | 01/02/2009 | | A | | 46,525 | | 07/02/2010 ⁽¹⁾ | 01/02/2019 | Common Stock | 46,525 | \$0 | 46,525 | D | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. The option becomes exercisable in three annual installments beginning on July 2, 2010.



01/05/2009

** 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).

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