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* WEIL WILLIAM S						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LEGGETT & PLATT INC [LEG]								(Che	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify					
(Last) NO 1 LE	ast) (First) (Middle) O 1 LEGGETT ROAD					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/14/2004								, y	X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Vice Pres - Corp Controller					
(Street) CARTHA	ARTHAGE MO 64836			4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Line	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transacting Date (Month/Day)					Execution D			Transaction C		4. Securities Acquired (A) o Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a 5)						6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of ndirect Beneficial Ownership Instr. 4)		
									Code	v	Amount	(A) o (D)	r Pri	се	Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)				
Common Stock 05/14/20					2004				A		37	A	\$1	8.98	33	,798		D		
Common Stock															1,	724			Custodian- daughter	
Common Stock															5	2 ⁽¹⁾		I 1	Held in rust under (ssuer'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)	tive Conversion Date Execution Date or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			on Date,	4. Transactio Code (Inst				6. Date Expirat (Month	ion Da			De Se (Ir	Price of erivative ecurity astr. 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 Exercis	able	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Share	er						

Explanation of Responses:

1. Balance has been updated to reflect the acquisition of 52 shares under the Issuer's Restated Stock Bonus Plan during the first quarter of 2004, in transactions exempt under Rule 16b-3(c).

John A. Lyckman

05/17/2004

** 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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