

SKILLING DAVID VAN
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
SKILLING DAVID VAN

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

LAMSON & SESSIONS CO [LMS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

04/29/2005

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

THE LAMSON & SESSIONS CO., 25701 SCIENCE PARK DRIVE

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Form filed by One Reporting Person
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CLEVELAND, OH 44122

(City) (State) (Zip)

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) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| | | | Code | V | Amount | (D) | Price |
| COMMON STOCK | 04/29/2005 | | A | | 231 | A | \$ 9.725 |
| COMMON STOCK | | | | | 1,730 | D | (1) |
| COMMON STOCK | | | | | 5,687 | I | See Footnote (2) |
| COMMON STOCK | | | | | 77,628 | D | (3) |

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

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|
| Stock Option - (Right to Buy Common Stock) | \$ 9.395 | 05/02/2005 | | A | 4,000 | 05/02/2006 ⁽⁴⁾ 05/02/2015 | Common Stock | 4,000 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| SKILLING DAVID VAN THE LAMSON & SESSIONS CO. 25701 SCIENCE PARK DRIVE CLEVELAND, OH 44122 | | X | | |

Signatures

/s/ Aileen Liebertz, Attorney-in-Fact for D. Van Skilling
05/03/2005

__Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) Restricted shares, exempt under Rule 16b-3(1), held by issuer until 3-year vesting period.
- (2) New account as of May 2004. Shares held in Trust pursuant to Directors Deferred Compensation Plan - a 16b-3 Plan. Transaction(s) completed by Trustee as of April 8, 2005.
- (3) Direct Ownership: Total of 77,628 shares includes 69,328 shares previously held in Deferred Compensation Trust Account.

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- (4) Grant, pursuant to the Company's 1998 Incentive Equity Plan (As Amended and Restated as of April 30, 2004), a Rule 16b-3 plan, to the reporting person of an option to purchase 4,000 shares of the Company's Common Stock, exercisable on and after May 2, 2006.

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