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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Â Thiers Bernard

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

01/01/2009

2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

MOHAWK INDUSTRIES INC [MHK]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

5. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

160 SOUTH INDUSTRIAL BLVD., P.O. BOX 12069

(Street)

X Director Officer

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting

Person

Form filed by More than One

Reporting Person

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial

CALHOUN, GAÂ 30703

(City) (State)

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)

(Zip)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

(Instr. 4)

Ownership

Form:

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

Ownership (Instr. 5)

Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

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

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4.

Price of

Security

Derivative

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

(Instr. 4)

1. Title of Derivative Security 2. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

Title

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

> Amount or Number of

5. Conversion or Exercise Form of Derivative

6. Nature of Ownership Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

Date Exercisable Expiration

Date

Shares

Security: Direct (D) or Indirect

(I)

						(Instr. 5)	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	02/20/2009(1)	02/20/2018	Common Stock	7,000	\$ 74.47	D	Â
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	02/21/2008(1)	02/21/2017	Common Stock	7,000	\$ 93.65	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships		
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Othe
Thiers Bernard				
160 SOUTH INDUSTRIAL BLVD.	ÂΧ	Â	â	â
P.O. BOX 12069	ΑΛ	A	A	A
CALHOUN, GA 30703				

Signatures

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**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) SHARES ARE EXERCISABLE ONE YEAR AFTER DATE OF GRANT AT 20% PER YEAR.

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