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### FORM 4

#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| Name and Address of Reporting<br>Person*              |    | Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading<br>Symbol                             | 3. | I.R.S. Identification Number of<br>Reporting<br>Person, if an entity (Voluntary) |                                       |
|---|----|---|----|--|---------------------------------------|
| Abel, James J.  |    | The Lamson & Sessions Co. LMS   |    |  |                                       |
| (Last) (First) (Middle)                               | _  |   |    |  |                                       |
| The Lamson & Sessions Co.<br>25701 Science Park Drive | 4. | Statement for Month/Day/Year  | 5. | If Amendment, Da<br>(Month/Day/Year)   | te of Original                        |
| (Street)  | _  | 2/18/2003   |    |  |                                       |
|   | 6. | Relationship of Reporting Person(s)<br>to Issuer (Check All Applicable) | 7. | Individual or Joint (Check Applicable 1  |                                       |
| Cleveland, Ohio 44122                                 | _  | X Director O 10% Owner  |    | X  | Form Filed by One<br>Reporting Person |
| (City) (State) (Zip)                                  |    | X Officer (give title below)  |    | o  | Form Filed by More                    |
|   |    | Other (specify below)   |    |  | than One Reporting<br>Person          |
|   |    | Executive Vice President,<br>Secretary, Treasurer and Chief             |    |  |                                       |

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#### Financial Officer

| Reminder: | Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. |
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| *         | If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see instruction 4(b)(v).                  |

| Table I Non-Deriv   | vative Securities | Acquired, Disposed  | l of, or I | Beneficially Owi  | ned  |   |
|---|-------------------|---|------------|---|--|---|
| 1. Title of 2. Transaction 2A. Deemed Execution Security Date Date, if any (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year) | Code              | 4. Securities Acquire<br>Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | ed (A) or  | 5.Amount of<br>Sec-<br>urities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Trans-<br>action(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D) or<br>Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|   | Code V            | (A) or Amount (D)   | Price      |   |  |   |
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| Security | Derivative        | Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | Date, if any | Code (Instr. 8) |           | erivative Securities<br>or Disposed of (D)<br>d 5) |
|----------|-------------------|--------------------------|--------------|-----------------|-----------|--|
|          |                   |                          |              | Code V          | (A)       | (D)  |
| <b>V</b> | \$3.440           | 02/18/03                 |              | A ***           | 40,000    |  |
|          |                   |                          |              |                 |           |  |
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| 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |                    |                 | ying                             | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities<br>Beneficially Owned Following<br>Reported Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 4) | 10.Ownership Form of<br>Derivative Security:<br>Direct (D) or<br>Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 11.Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|---|--------------------|-----------------|----------------------------------|---|---|---|---|
| Date<br>Exercisable   | Expiration<br>Date | Title           | Amount or<br>Number of<br>Shares |   |   |   |   |
| ***   | 02/18/13           | COMMON<br>STOCK | 40,000                           |   | 40,000  | D   |   |
|   |                    |                 |                                  |   |   |   |   |
|   |                    |                 |                                  |   |   |   |   |
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| planation   | of Respons         | ses:            |                                  |   |   |   |   |
|   | 2004; one-t        |                 |                                  |   | ompany's Common Stock, exercisa<br>hird on February 18, 2006, with nu                                       |   |   |
|   |                    | /s/ Jar         | nes J. Abel                      |   | 2/20/2003   |   |   |
|   |                    | Jame            | es J. Abel                       | <u> </u>  | Date  |   |   |

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