DENTON MICHAEL J

Form 4

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Last)

(City)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **DENTON MICHAEL J**

(First)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CURTISS WRIGHT CORP [CW] 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

C/O CURTISS-WRIGHT

CORPORATION, 4 BECKER

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 01/09/2006

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title below)

Other (specify

Vice President and Secretary

FARM ROAD, 3RD FLOOR (Street)

(State)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

ROSELAND, NJ 07068

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

Reported

6. 7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Form: Direct Beneficial (D) or Ownership Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

(Instr. 4)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Price

Code V Amount (D)

(A)

\$ 884.45

D

Common $P^{(1)}$ 01/09/2006 182.45 A 45.84 Stock (2)

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)

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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. Transac Code (Instr. 8		5. orNumber 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)	
				Code	V	(A) (I))	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 37.51 (3)							11/20/2002	11/15/2015	Common Stock	17,523

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
DENTON MICHAEL J C/O CURTISS-WRIGHT CORPORATION 4 BECKER FARM ROAD, 3RD FLOOR ROSELAND, NJ 07068			Vice President and Secretary				

Signatures

Paul J. Ferdenzi by Power of Attorney for Michael J.
Denton
01/10/2006

**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).
- Shares were purchased pursuant to the Company's 2003 Employee Stock Purchase Plan, under which Participant agrees to payroll (1) deductions prior to the commencement of a six month offering period whereby the payroll deductions are accumulated for the purchase of shares at the end of the offering period.
- (2) The purchase price is calculated by giving a 15% discount on the average market price of the Company's stock price, as of the lower market price of the two following dates: (i) the first day of the offering period or (ii) the last day of the offering period.
- (3) Exercise price is an average exercise price of awards previously granted to participant under the Company's Long Term Incentive Plan. Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.

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