Nathman John B Form 4 February 13, 2012

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).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Nathman John B

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

CURTISS WRIGHT CORP [CW]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

10% Owner Officer (give title _ Other (specify

C/O CURTISS-WRIGHT CORPORATION, 10 WATERVIEW

(Street)

(State)

(First)

BOULEVARD

(City)

(Last)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

X_ Director

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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02/09/2012

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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securi	ties A	cquired	5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D)			d of (D)	Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)			Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership	
							Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
					(A)		Reported		
					(A)		Transaction(s)		
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
			Couc ,	7 IIIIO GIII	(2)	\$			
Common Stock	02/09/2012		A(1)	1,787 (3)	A	39.17 (2)	10,156	D	

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	onNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative	Deriv
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					4, and 5)						
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						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title N	or		
									Number		
									of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Nathman John B C/O CURTISS-WRIGHT CORPORATION 10 WATERVIEW BOULEVARD PARSIPPANY, NJ 07054

X

Signatures

Paul J. Ferdenzi by Power of Attorney for John B. Nathman

02/13/2012

**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 issued pursuant to the Company's 2005 Non-Employee Director Compensation Plan in which non-employee directors receive
- an annual grant of restricted stock for service on the board. The restrictions on these shares lapse upon the shorter of (a) three years from the date of grant or (b) until such time as the service of the recipient as a Non-employee Director of the Company shall have ended by reason of his or her (i) death or disability or (ii) failure to be reelected.
- (2) Price is based on the closing market price for the securities on the New York Stock Exchange as of February 7, 2012
- (3) The number of shares is arrived by dividing the closing price of the Issuer's securities on February 7, 2012 into \$70,000, the amount of the stock award granted to the Issuer's non-employee directors.

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