

MASCO CORP /DE/
Form 4
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FORM 4

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

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
LEEKLEY JOHN R

(Last) (First) (Middle)

21001 VAN BORN ROAD

(Street)

TAYLOR, MI 48180

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
MASCO CORP /DE/ [MAS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
04/04/2006

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

Sr. V.P. & General Counsel

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
____X____ Form filed by One Reporting Person
____ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

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	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	04/04/2006		M		90,000	A	\$ 16
Common Stock	04/04/2006		M		34,946	A	\$ 26.1401
Common Stock	04/04/2006		F		71,123	D	\$ 33.09
Common Stock	04/04/2006		F ⁽¹⁾		21,365	D	\$ 33.09

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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option	\$ 16	04/04/2006		M	90,000	05/22/2004 ⁽²⁾ 05/22/2006	Common Stock 90,0
Employee Stock Option	\$ 26.1401	04/04/2006		M	34,946	08/21/2002 05/22/2006	Common Stock 39,9

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
LEEKLEY JOHN R 21001 VAN BORN ROAD TAYLOR, MI 48180	Sr. V.P. & General Counsel

Signatures

John R. Leekley 04/06/2006
 **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).

- (1) Shares used to satisfy tax withholding obligation.
- (2) This option became exercisable in installments of 18,000 shares on May 22, 2002 and May 23, 2003, and the balance on May 22, 2004.
- (3) Grant of option under Masco Corporation 1991 Long Term Stock Incentive Plan, in transactions exempt under Rule 16 b-3.

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