

SKILLING DAVID VAN  
Form 4  
May 03, 2005

**FORM 4** UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549

OMB APPROVAL

OMB Number: 3235-0287  
Expires: January 31, 2005  
Estimated average burden hours per response... 0.5

Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
SKILLING DAVID VAN

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
LAMSON & SESSIONS CO [LMS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
THE LAMSON & SESSIONS  
CO., 25701 SCIENCE PARK  
DRIVE  
(Street)  
CLEVELAND, OH 44122  
(City) (State) (Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
04/29/2005

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

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 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 (D) Price			
COMMON STOCK	04/29/2005		A	231 A \$ 9.725	1,730	D <sup>(1)</sup>	
COMMON STOCK					5,687	I	See Footnote <sup>(2)</sup>
COMMON STOCK					77,628	D <sup>(3)</sup>	

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

Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not

SEC 1474 (9-02)

required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.

**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 of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option - (Right to Buy Common Stock)	\$ 9.395	05/02/2005		A	4,000	05/02/2006 <sup>(4)</sup> 05/02/2015	Common Stock	4,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SKILLING DAVID VAN THE LAMSON & SESSIONS CO. 25701 SCIENCE PARK DRIVE CLEVELAND, OH 44122		X		

## Signatures

/s/ Aileen Liebertz, Attorney-in-Fact for D. Van Skilling  
05/03/2005

\*\*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) Restricted shares, exempt under Rule 16b-3(1), held by issuer until 3-year vesting period.
- (2) New account as of May 2004. Shares held in Trust pursuant to Directors Deferred Compensation Plan - a 16b-3 Plan. Transaction(s) completed by Trustee as of April 8, 2005.
- (3) Direct Ownership: Total of 77,628 shares includes 69,328 shares previously held in Deferred Compensation Trust Account.

Edgar Filing: SKILLING DAVID VAN - Form 4

- (4) Grant, pursuant to the Company's 1998 Incentive Equity Plan (As Amended and Restated as of April 30, 2004), a Rule 16b-3 plan, to the reporting person of an option to purchase 4,000 shares of the Company's Common Stock, exercisable on and after May 2, 2006.

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.