

COOPER COMPANIES INC
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
CALCAGNO JOHN J

(Last) (First) (Middle)

6140 STONERIDGE MALL DR.,
SUITE 590

(Street)

PLEASANTON, CA 94588

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

COOPER COMPANIES INC [COO]

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

01/07/2005

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

CFO - CooperVision

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code	V	Amount	Price		
Common Stock	01/07/2005	01/07/2005	M		10,000	\$ 26.38	A	D
Common Stock	01/07/2005	01/07/2005	M		20,000	\$ 29.5	A	D
Common Stock	01/07/2005	01/07/2005	M		5,750	\$ 41.44	A	D
Common Stock	01/07/2005	01/07/2005	S		35,750	\$ 71.49	D	D

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

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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The option will become exercisable in three tranches upon achievement of targets within specified timeframes: within the 1st tranche of 20,000 shares, 1/3 became exercisable when FMV achieved \$35.00, remaining 2/3 shall become exercisable one the 1st and 2nd anniversary of the vesting date. Within the 2nd tranche of 20,000 shares, 1/3 became exercisable when FMV achieved \$39.50, remaining 2/3 shall become exercisable one the 1st and 2nd anniversary of the vesting date. Within the 3rd tranche of 20,000 shares, 1/3 became exercisable when FMV achieved \$44.00, remaining 2/3 shall become exercisable one the 1st and 2nd anniversary of the vesting date

The option will become exercisable in three tranches upon achievement of targets within specified timeframes: within the 1st tranche of 10,000 shares, 1/3 became exercisable when FMV achieved \$31.50, remaining 2/3 shall become exercisable one the 1st and 2nd anniversary of the vesting date. Within the 2nd tranche of 10,000 shares, 1/3 became exercisable when FMV achieved \$35.00, remaining 2/3 shall become exercisable one the 1st and 2nd anniversary of the vesting date. Within the 3rd tranche of 10,000 shares, 1/3 became exercisable when FMV achieved \$39.50, remaining 2/3 shall become exercisable one the 1st and 2nd anniversary of the vesting date

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