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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ROPER INDUSTRIES INC [ROP] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | | |
|--|---------|--------------|---|--|--|-----------------|--|--|
| <u>KNOWLING ROBERT E JR</u> | | <u>N</u> | t _ | X | Director | 10% Owner | | |
| | | | | | Officer (give title | Other (specify | | |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) | | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) | | below) | below) | | |
| C/O ROPER INDUSTRIES, INC. | | | 01/31/2011 | | | | | |
| 6901 PROFESSIONAL PARKWAY EAST, SUITE | | Y EAST,SUITE | | | | | | |
| 200 | | | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | 6. Indiv Line) | vidual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable | | | |
| (Street) | | | | X | Form filed by One Repo | orting 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. Transa Code (8) | | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |
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| | | Code V Amount | | (A) or (D) | Price | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | (1130. 4) | | | | |
| Common Stock | 01/31/2011 | | Р | | 5.41 | A | \$79.65 | 8,005.41 | D | | | |
| Common Stock | 04/26/2011 | | Р | | 4.89 | A | \$88.25 | 8,010.3 | D | | | |
| Common Stock | 08/01/2011 | | Р | | 7 . 9 ⁽¹⁾ | A | \$82.48 | 12,018.2 | D | | | |
| Common Stock | 10/31/2011 | | Р | | 8(1) | Α | \$81.48 | 12,026.2 | D | | | |
| Common Stock | 01/30/2012 | | Р | | 11.62 | A | \$93.59 | 10,037.82 | D | | | |

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. Transa Code (8) | | of Expira | | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. During 2011 and 2012, Mr. Knowling acquired a total of 37.82 shares of common stock pursuant to his broker's dividend reinvestment program and relied on the Rule 16a-6 small acquisition provisions in not reporting these acquisitions. In December 2011, Mr. Knowling sold 2,000 shares of common stock for prices as high as \$84.61 per share. The sale was within six months of Mr. Knowling's acquisition of 15.90 shares of common stock and at a price higher than his purchase price. Accordingly, on April 4, 2012 Mr. Knowling paid the company \$42 in short swing profits under Section 16(b). Mr. Knowling no longer participates in his broker's dividend reinvestment program.

Remarks:

Robert E. Knowling, Jr., by Paul J. Soni, his attorney-infact, pursuant to Power of Attorney dated June 8, 2009.

04/12/2012

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

* 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).

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