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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 Addi	ess of Reporting P ONALD G	erson*	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>ROPER INDUSTRIES INC /DE/</u> [ROP]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner
	(First) (Middle) PER INDUSTRIES, INC.		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/03/2006	Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)
	ITE BLVD., SU	ITE 200	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
(Street)				X Form filed by One Reporting Person
DULUTH	GA	30097		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
(City)	(State)	(Zip)		

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)							6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	03/03/2006		S		10,000	D	\$44.9	220,611	D	
Common Stock								238,888	I ⁽¹⁾	By Spouse

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. Transa Code (8)		5. Nur of Deriv Secur Acqu (A) or Dispo of (D) (Instr and 5	ative rities ired osed . 3, 4	Expiration Da	xpiration Date A lonth/Day/Year) S U D S		5. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date Amount of Month/Day/Year) 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. Reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of all such shares.

Remarks:

Donald G. Calder, by Paul J.

Soni, his attorney-in-fact, pursuant to Power of Attorney dated August 11, 2004. ** 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).

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