# 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*  Soni Paul J					2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol ROPER INDUSTRIES INC /DE/ [ ROP ]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner  Officer (give title Vother (specify					
(Last) 2160 SA	`	irst) BLVD., SUITE 2	(Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/16/2007								below)		X Other (spec below)		респу	
(Street) DULUT			30097		4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Line	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(S		(Zip)	. Davis				- ^ -		Dia		f av Da							
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Trai			2. Tran Date	ransaction e		2A. Deemed Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4) 5)			r 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Followin		Form (D) or	: Direct Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
								Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transact	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock			02/1	02/16/2007				A		6,000 A		\$0.00	17,	17,351		D			
Common	Stock													2,1	2,135 <sup>(1)</sup> I		I	401(k)	
Common Stock													800(2)			I	By Spouse 401(k) <sup>(3)</sup>		
			Table II -								sed of, onvertib			Owned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution D if any (Month/Day/	Date,	4. Transa Code ( 8)		of		6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year			7. Title and Amour of Securities Underlying Derivative Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securitie Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transacti (Instr. 4)	/e es ally ng d tion(s)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisab		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Employee Stock Options (right to	\$52.19	02/17/2007			A		12,000		02/16/2008	B <sup>(4)</sup>	02/15/2017	Common Stock	12,000	\$0.00	12,00	00	D		

#### **Explanation of Responses:**

- $1. \ Includes \ 264 \ shares \ acquired \ in \ exempt \ transactions \ from \ 5/2/2006 \ to \ 2/20/2007 \ in \ the \ 401(k) \ Plan.$
- $2. \ Includes \ 4 \ shares \ acquired \ in \ exempt \ transactions \ from \ 5/2/2006 \ to \ 2/20/2007 \ in \ the \ 401(k) \ Plan.$
- 3. Reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of all such shares.
- $4.\,4,\!000\ options\ vest\ February\ 16,\ 2008,\ 4,\!000\ options\ vest\ February\ 16,\ 2009,\ 4,\!000\ options\ vest\ February\ 16,\ 2010$

## Remarks:

Paul J. Soni by Susan K. Boutelle, his attorney-in-fact, pursuant to Power of Attorney dated March 27, 2006.

02/21/2007

\*\* 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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