

LOREE JAMES M  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
LOREE JAMES M

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
1000 STANLEY DRIVE  
(Street)

NEW BRITAIN, CT 06053

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
STANLEY WORKS [SWK]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
03/16/2007

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)  
Executive Vice President, CFO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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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)
				(A) or (D)	Amount or Price		
Common Stock	03/16/2007		A	(A)	37,052 (4)	A	\$ 0 65,869 D
Common Stock	03/16/2007		D	(D)	15,358 (5)	D	\$ 53.98 50,511 D

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

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**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)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Interest in Employer Stock Fund <sup>(1)</sup>	<u>(3)</u>	03/20/2007		D	55.2075 <u>(1)</u>	<u>(3)</u>	<u>(3)</u>	Common Stock	55.2075
Interest in Employer Stock Fund <sup>(2)</sup>	<u>(3)</u>	03/20/2007		D	171.7727 <u>(2)</u>	<u>(3)</u>	<u>(3)</u>	Common Stock	171.7727

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
LOREE JAMES M 1000 STANLEY DRIVE NEW BRITAIN, CT 06053			Executive Vice President, CFO	

## Signatures

By: /s/ Bruce H. Beatt,  
Attorney-in-Fact

03/20/2007

         \*\*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) Represents number of shares held for the reporting person under the Company's 401(k) Savings Plan as of 2/28/07, including aggregate number of shares acquired or disposed of on various dates since date of last report. Because interest in Plan is denominated in cash, fluctuation in share price since the date of last report resulted in a reduction in associated number of shares.
- (2) Represents number of shares notionally held for reporting person under the Company's Supplemental Savings Plan as of 2/28/07, including aggregate number of shares acquired on various dates since date of last report. Because interest in Plan is denominated in cash, fluctuation in share price since the date of last report resulted in a reduction in associated number of shares.
- (3) Exempt
- (4) Shares issued pursuant to performance awards under the Company's 1997 Long Term Incentive Plan for the 2004-2006 performance period.
- (5) Shares withheld to cover taxes with respect to performance awards

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