Grudzien Jeffrey M Form 4 May 07, 2009

FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Grudzien Jeffrey M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

ROGERS CORP [ROG]

(First) (Middle) (Last)

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

Director 10% Owner

(Check all applicable)

ONE TECHNOLOGY DRIVE, P.O.

05/07/2009

X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)

BOX 188

(Street)

VP Marketing and Sales 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Instr. 8)

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

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Person

ROGERS, CT 06263-0188

(City) (State) (Zip) 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A)

Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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

Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if any

4. 5. Number of **Transaction**Derivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount Underlying Securiti (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3) Price of (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) Derivative Security

(D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)

or Disposed of

Code V (A) (D) Date Exercisable Expiration Date

Title

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Employee

Stock Capital 05/07/2009(1) 02/11/2011⁽²⁾ 02/11/2019 (Common) Option \$ 23.86 A 17,850 (Right to Stock

Buy)

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Grudzien Jeffrey M

ONE TECHNOLOGY DRIVE

VP Marketing and Sales P.O. BOX 188

ROGERS, CT 06263-0188

Signatures

Alice. R. Tetreault as Power of Attorney

05/07/2009

**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).
 - This stock option grant was approved by the Compensation and Organization Committee of the Board of Directors on February 11, 2009,
- (1) but subject to shareholder approval of the Rogers Corporation 2009 Long-Term Equity Compensation Plan and such approval was obtained on May 7, 2009.
- This Non-Qualified Stock Option is granted pursuant to the 2009 Long-Term Equity Compensation Plan and is exercisable in one-third **(2)** increments on the second, third and fourth anniversary dates of the grant (2/11/09).
- (3) Mr. Grudzien also indirectly owns 701.2621 shares of Rogers Corporation Capital (Common) Stock through the Company's 401(k) plan. Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.

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