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**FORM 4**

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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 \*  
 Stroup John S

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 7733 FORSYTH BOULEVARD,  
 SUITE 800  
 (Street)

ST. LOUIS, MO 63105

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 BELDEN INC. [BDC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
 02/09/2011

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)  
 Chief Executive Officer

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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock	02/09/2011		S	125	D \$ 38.995	245,409	D
Common Stock	02/09/2011		S	5,517	D \$ 39	239,892	D
Common Stock	02/09/2011		S	400	D \$ 39.001	239,492	D
Common Stock	02/09/2011		S	3,052	D \$ 39.005	236,440	D
Common Stock	02/09/2011		S	100	D \$ 39.008	236,340	D

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Common Stock	02/09/2011	S	337	D	\$ 39.015	236,003	D
Common Stock	02/09/2011	S	100	D	\$ 39.018	235,903	D
Common Stock	02/09/2011	S	500	D	\$ 39.02	235,403	D
Common Stock	02/09/2011	S	100	D	\$ 39.025	235,303	D
Common Stock	02/09/2011	S	200	D	\$ 39.03	235,103	D
Common Stock	02/09/2011	S	200	D	\$ 39.04	234,903	D
Common Stock	02/09/2011	S	1,600	D	\$ 39.05	233,303	D
Common Stock	02/09/2011	S	100	D	\$ 39.051	233,203	D
Common Stock	02/09/2011	S	100	D	\$ 39.055	233,103	D
Common Stock	02/09/2011	S	700	D	\$ 39.065	232,403	D
Common Stock	02/09/2011	S	400	D	\$ 39.07	232,003	D
Common Stock	02/09/2011	S	721	D	\$ 39.071	231,282	D
Common Stock	02/09/2011	S	500	D	\$ 39.075	230,782	D
Common Stock	02/09/2011	S	500	D	\$ 39.08	230,282	D
Common Stock	02/09/2011	S	1,263	D	\$ 39.1	229,019	D
Common Stock	02/09/2011	S	100	D	\$ 39.105	228,919	D
Common Stock	02/09/2011	S	200	D	\$ 39.108	228,719	D
Common Stock	02/09/2011	S	700	D	\$ 39.12	228,019	D
Common Stock	02/09/2011	S	300	D	\$ 39.13	227,719	D
Common Stock	02/09/2011	S	700	D	\$ 39.14	227,019	D
	02/09/2011	S	2,400	D	\$ 39.15	224,619	D

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Common  
Stock

Common Stock	02/09/2011	S	700	D	\$ 39.19	223,919	D
Common Stock	02/09/2011	S	100	D	\$ 39.2	223,819	D
Common Stock	02/09/2011	S	700	D	\$ 39.25	223,119	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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Stroup John S 7733 FORSYTH BOULEVARD, SUITE 800 ST. LOUIS, MO 63105	X		Chief Executive Officer	

## Signatures

/s/ John S.  
Stroup

02/10/2011

\*\*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).

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