KEY DERRICK N

Form 4

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * KEY DERRICK N

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

ROPER INDUSTRIES INC /DE/

(Check all applicable)

[ROP]

(Last) (First) (Middle)

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

_X__ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

(Month/Day/Year) 03/01/2006

7 HIGH PONDS LANE, COLLETON RIVER

PLANTATION

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Person

BLUFFTON, SC 29910

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	of, or Benefici	ally Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securiti on(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4	posed	of (D)	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)
Common Stock	03/01/2006		M	4,798	A	\$ 13.31	38,854	D	
Common Stock	03/01/2006		M	42,194	A	\$ 16.53	81,048	D	
Common Stock	03/01/2006		S	398	D	\$ 45.4	80,650	D	
Common Stock	03/01/2006		S	300	D	\$ 45.37	80,350	D	
	03/01/2006		S	4,500	D		75,850	D	

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Common Stock					\$ 45.28			
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	9,600	D	\$ 45.23	66,250	D	
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 (1)	D	\$ 44.5	66,150	D	
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 (1)	D	\$ 45.5	66,050	D	
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 (1)	D	\$ 45.4	65,950	D	
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 (1)	D	\$ 45.8	65,850	D	
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 (1)	D	\$ 45.41	65,750	D	
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 (1)	D	\$ 45.52	65,650	D	
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 (1)	D	\$ 44.83	65,550	D	
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 (1)	D	\$ 45.55	65,450	D	
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 (1)	D	\$ 44.66	65,350	D	
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 (1)	D	\$ 44.96	65,250	D	
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 (1)	D	\$ 45.49	47,430	I (2)	By Key Family Trust
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 (1)	D	\$ 44.5	47,330	I (2)	By Key Family Trust
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 (1)	D	\$ 45	47,230	I (2)	By Key Family Trust
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 (1)	D	\$ 45.5	47,130	I (2)	By Key Family Trust
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 (1)	D	\$ 45.4	47,030	I (2)	By Key Family Trust
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 (1)	D	\$ 45.8	46,930	I (2)	By Key Family Trust

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Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 (1)	D	\$ 45.41	46,830	I (2)	By Key Family Trust
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 (1)	D	\$ 44.82	46,730	I (2)	By Key Family Trust
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 (1)	D	\$ 45.55	46,630	I (2)	By Key Family Trust
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 (1)	D	\$ 44.66	46,530	I (2)	By Key Family Trust
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 (1)	D	\$ 45.48	633,500	I (3)	By Key Family Partnership
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 (1)	D	\$ 45.38	633,400	I (3)	By Key Family Partnership
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 (1)	D	\$ 44.79	633,300	I (3)	By Key Family Partnership
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 (1)	D	\$ 45.29	633,200	I (3)	By Key Family Partnership

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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
Options (right to	\$ 13.31	03/01/2006		M		4,798	11/10/1998	11/09/2007	Common Stock	4,798

buy)

buy

Options (right to

\$ 16.53 03/01/2006 M

42,194 11/11/2000 11/10/2009

Common

42,194 Stock

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

KEY DERRICK N 7 HIGH PONDS LANE **COLLETON RIVER PLANTATION** BLUFFTON, SC 29910



Signatures

Derrick N. Key, by Paul J. Soni, his attorney-in-fact, pursuant to Power of Attorney dated August 11, 2004.

03/02/2006

**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) Shares sold pursuant to 10b5-1 Plan
- (2) Reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of all such shares.
- (3) Reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

Remarks:

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