

PREZZANO WILBUR J
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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 *
PREZZANO WILBUR J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
ROPER INDUSTRIES INC /DE/ [ROP]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
03/04/2008

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

28 MURRAY BLVD.

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

CHARLESTON, SC 29401

(City) (State) (Zip)

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 Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Code	V	Amount				(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	03/04/2008		M			8,000	A	\$ 11.7938	28,000	D	
Common Stock	03/04/2008		S			100	D	\$ 57.24	27,900	D	
Common Stock	03/04/2008		S			100	D	\$ 57.22	27,800	D	
Common Stock	03/04/2008		S			400	D	\$ 57.21	27,400	D	
Common Stock	03/04/2008		S			200	D	\$ 57.19	27,200	D	

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Common Stock	03/04/2008	S	100	D	\$ 57.18	27,100	D
Common Stock	03/04/2008	S	500	D	\$ 57.17	26,600	D
Common Stock	03/04/2008	S	100	D	\$ 57.16	26,500	D
Common Stock	03/04/2008	S	400	D	\$ 57.14	26,100	D
Common Stock	03/04/2008	S	200	D	\$ 57.11	25,900	D
Common Stock	03/04/2008	S	200	D	\$ 57.08	25,700	D
Common Stock	03/04/2008	S	100	D	\$ 57.07	25,600	D
Common Stock	03/04/2008	S	100	D	\$ 57.05	25,500	D
Common Stock	03/04/2008	S	100	D	\$ 57.03	25,400	D
Common Stock	03/04/2008	S	100	D	\$ 57.02	25,300	D
Common Stock	03/04/2008	S	200	D	\$ 56.98	25,100	D
Common Stock	03/04/2008	S	100	D	\$ 56.96	25,000	D
Common Stock	03/04/2008	S	100	D	\$ 56.9	24,900	D
Common Stock	03/04/2008	S	100	D	\$ 56.88	24,800	D
Common Stock	03/04/2008	S	100	D	\$ 56.85	24,700	D
Common Stock	03/04/2008	S	100	D	\$ 56.845	24,600	D
Common Stock	03/04/2008	S	100	D	\$ 56.83	24,500	D
Common Stock	03/04/2008	S	300	D	\$ 56.79	24,200	D
Common Stock	03/04/2008	S	100	D	\$ 56.78	24,100	D
Common Stock	03/04/2008	S	200	D	\$ 56.77	23,900	D
	03/04/2008	S	100	D	\$ 56.73	23,800	D

Common Stock								
Common Stock	03/04/2008		S	100	D	\$ 56.71	23,700	D
Common Stock	03/04/2008		S	300	D	\$ 56.7	23,400	D
Common Stock	03/04/2008		S	200	D	\$ 56.69	23,200	D
Common Stock	03/04/2008		S	200	D	\$ 56.68	23,000	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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Nonemployee Directors Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 11.7938	03/04/2008		M	8,000	02/26/2000 02/26/2009	Common Stock 8,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
PREZZANO WILBUR J 28 MURRAY BLVD. CHARLESTON, SC 29401		X		

Signatures

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

03/04/2008

__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).

Remarks:

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