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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement STANLEY BLACK & DECKER, INC. [SWK] Sihota Ben S (Month/Day/Year) 03/12/2010 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 1000 STANLEY DRIVE (Check all applicable) (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) 10% Owner Director _X_ Form filed by One Reporting _X__ Officer Other Person (give title below) (specify below) NEW BRITAIN, CTÂ 06053 Form filed by More than One Pres.Emerging Mkts.Pacific Grp Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 2. Amount of Securities 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security Beneficially Owned Ownership (Instr. 4) Ownership (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) D Â Common Stock 14,045 Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security		4. Conversion or Exercise	5. Ownership Form of	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
			(Instr. 4)		Price of	Derivative	
		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of	Derivative	Security:	
					Security	Direct (D)	
						or Indirect	

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				Shares		(I) (Instr. 5)	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(1)	04/29/2012	Common Stock	1,912	\$ 37.91	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(1)	04/27/2013	Common Stock	3,825	\$ 31.17	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(1)	04/25/2014	Common Stock	3,187	\$ 47.21	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(1)	04/24/2015	Common Stock	3,187	\$ 64.52	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(1)	04/18/2016	Common Stock	6,375	\$ 72.44	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(1)	04/17/2017	Common Stock	9,562	\$ 69.31	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(1)	04/15/2018	Common Stock	9,562	\$ 53.37	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(1)	04/28/2019	Common Stock	15,555	\$ 30.03	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
F 8	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Sihota Ben S 1000 STANLEY DRIVE NEW BRITAIN, CT 06053	Â	Â	Pres.Emerging Mkts.Pacific Grp	Â		

Signatures

/s/ Ben S. Sihota 03/22/2010

**Signature of Person

Date

Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) The option is currently exercisable.

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