## Edgar Filing: FRIEDMAN INDUSTRIES INC - Form 4

| Form 4   | INDUSTRIE                         | S INC              |   |  |             |                    |  |   |  |           |  |
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| August 22, 2   | _                                 |                    |   |  |             |                    |  |   |  | PPROVAL   |  |
| FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549 |                                   |                    |   |  |             |                    |  | 3235-0287   |  |           |  |
| Check this box January   |                                   |                    |   |  |             |                    |  | irs per   |  |           |  |
| (Print or Type F   | Responses)                        |                    |   |  |             |                    |  |   |  |           |  |
| Spira Joel Symbol  |                                   |                    | Symbol<br>FRIEDN  | er Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading             |             |                    |  | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to<br>Issuer<br>(Check all applicable)   |  |           |  |
|  |                                   |                    | ate of Earliest Transaction<br>nth/Day/Year)<br>21/2007 |  |             |                    | X_ Director 10% Owner<br>Officer (give title Other (specify<br>below) below) |   |  |           |  |
|  |                                   |                    |   | mendment, Date Original<br>Aonth/Day/Year)       |             |                    |  | <ul> <li>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check</li> <li>Applicable Line)</li> <li>_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person</li> </ul> |  |           |  |
| HOUSTON  | , TX 77046                        |                    |   |  |             |                    |  | Form filed by M<br>Person   |  |           |  |
| (City)   | (State)                           | (Zip)              | Table   | e I - Non-D                                      | erivative S | Securi             | ities Aco  | quired, Disposed of   | f, or Beneficial   | lly Owned |  |
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)   | 2. Transaction 1<br>(Month/Day/Ye | ear) Execution any |   | 3.<br>Transactic<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8)<br>Code V |             | 4 and<br>(A)<br>or | d of   | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4)                      | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or<br>Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) |           |  |
| Common<br>Stock  | 08/21/2007                        |                    |   | Р  | 1,000       | A                  | \$<br>7.61   | 1,000   | D  |           |  |
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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<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transact<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5.<br>tionNumber<br>of<br>) Derivative<br>Securities<br>Acquired<br>(A) or<br>Disposed<br>of (D)<br>(Instr. 3,<br>4, and 5) | 3                   | Date               | Amou<br>Unde<br>Secur | le and<br>unt of<br>rlying<br>rities<br>: 3 and 4) | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Nu<br>Deriv<br>Secu<br>Bene<br>Owna<br>Follo<br>Repo<br>Trans<br>(Instr |
|---|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|---------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|--|---|--|
|   |   |   | Code V                               | . ,   | Date<br>Exercisable | Expiration<br>Date | Title                 | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares             |   |  |

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## **Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Relationships |           |         |       |  |  |  |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|--|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |  |  |  |
| Spira Joel<br>THREE GREENWAY PLAZA<br>SUITE 1750<br>HOUSTON, TX 77046 | X             |           |         |       |  |  |  |
| Signatures  |               |           |         |       |  |  |  |
| /s/ Joel Spira 08   | /22/2007      |           |         |       |  |  |  |
| <u>**</u> Signature of<br>Reporting Person                            | Date          |           |         |       |  |  |  |

## **Explanation of Responses:**

If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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