

COLUMBUS MCKINNON CORP
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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 *
 OWEN JOSEPH J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 COLUMBUS MCKINNON CORP
 [CMCO]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 04/20/2006

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 VP and Hoist Group Leader

140 JOHN JAMES AUDUBON PARKWAY

(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

AMHERST, NY 14228-1197

(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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | | (A) or (D) | Price | | |
| | | | | Code | V | Amount | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | 9,644 ⁽¹⁾ | D |
| Common Stock | 04/20/2006 | | M | 5,000 | A \$ 10 | 14,644 ⁽¹⁾ | D |
| Common Stock | 04/20/2006 | | S | 2,500 | D \$ 29 | 12,144 ⁽¹⁾ | D |
| Common Stock | 04/20/2006 | | S | 2,500 | D \$ 30 | 9,644 ⁽¹⁾ | D |
| Common Stock | | | | | | 1,287 ⁽²⁾ | D |

Common Stock 1,327 I By Spouse

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. 3) | |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--|----------------------------|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Incentive Stock Options (Right to Buy) | \$ 29 | | | | | (3) 05/31/2008 | Common Stock | 1,000 | |
| Incentive Stock Options (Right to Buy) | \$ 20.6 | | | | | (3) 03/31/2009 | Common Stock | 18,000 | |
| Incentive Stock Options (Right to Buy) | \$ 10 | | | | | (4) 08/19/2011 | Common Stock | 22,500 | |
| Incentive Stock Options (Right to Buy) | \$ 5.46 | | | | | (5) 05/16/2014 | Common Stock | 22,500 | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| OWEN JOSEPH J 140 JOHN JAMES AUDUBON PARKWAY AMHERST, NY 14228-1197 | | | VP and Hoist Group Leader | |

Signatures

Joseph J. Owen 04/21/2006

__Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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) Includes 1,016 shares of formerly restricted common stock which became fully vested and non-forfeitable on 6/10/2004.
- (2) Reports shares allocated to account of reporting person under the Columbus McKinnon Corporation Employee Stock Ownership Plan, as amended (the "ESOP").
- (3) All exercisable, subject to IRS limitations.
- (4) Originally a 40,500 share stock option, reporting person exercised 10,500 options on 2/13/2006 and 2,500 options on 4/11/06. The remaining 27,500 options are fully exercisable, subject to IRS limitations.
- (5) Originally a 30,000 share stock option, reporting person exercised 7,500 options on 7/28/2005. The remaining 22,500 options are exercisable 33.33% per year, beginning 5/17/2006 for the next three years, subject to IRS limitations.

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