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FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person 2 Kramer Randy S			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PRAXAIR INC [PX]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an approact)		
PRAXAIR, I RIDGEBUR	· ·	.D	(Month/Day/Year) 04/30/2007	Director 10% Owner _X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Vice President		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)		
DANBURY, CT 06810-5113				_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-I	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqu	ired, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	on Date 2A. Deemed y/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	04/30/2007		Code V M	Amount 4,000	(D) A	Price \$ 27.625	(Instr. 3 and 4) 17,439.1448	D	
Common Stock	04/30/2007		M	4,000	A	\$ 26.425	21,439.1448	D	
Common Stock	04/30/2007		S	500	D	\$ 65.38	20,939.1448	D	
Common Stock	04/30/2007		S	400	D	\$ 65.37	20,539.1448	D	
Common Stock	04/30/2007		S	1,000	D	\$ 65.36	19,539.1448	D	

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Common Stock	04/30/2007	S	600	D	\$ 65.35	18,939.1448	D	
Common Stock	04/30/2007	S	1,000	D	\$ 65.34	17,939.1448	D	
Common Stock	04/30/2007	S	600	D	\$ 65.33	17,339.1448	D	
Common Stock	04/30/2007	S	3,900	D	\$ 65.32	13,439.1448 (1)	D	
Common Stock						1,910.6908	I	401(k)

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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)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 27.625	04/30/2007		M		4,000	12/31/2002	12/31/2011	Common Stock	4,000
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 26.425	04/30/2007		M		4,000	02/28/2004	02/28/2013	Common Stock	4,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			

2 Reporting Owners

Kramer Randy S PRAXAIR, INC. 39 OLD RIDGEBURY ROAD DANBURY, CT 06810-5113

Vice President

Signatures

Anthony M. Pepper, Attorney-in-Fact

05/01/2007

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- * 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) This total includes shares previously acquired through automatic dividend reinvestment under the Praxair Dividend Reinvestment and Stock Purchase Plan.

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