

KALKSTEIN MICHAEL  
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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 \*  
KALKSTEIN MICHAEL

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
COOPER COMPANIES INC [COO]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
6140 STONERIDGE MALL  
DRIVE, SUITE 590

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
09/10/2012

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

(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

PLEASANTON, CA 94588

(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	09/10/2012		M		17,500	A	\$ 43.98	42,100	D	
Common Stock	09/10/2012		M		10,000	A	\$ 17.09	52,100	D	
Common Stock	09/10/2012		M		7,500	A	\$ 28.52	59,600	D	
Common Stock	09/10/2012		S		35,000	D	\$ 91.865	24,600	D	
Common Stock								0	I	Pension Fund <sup>(2)</sup>

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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)	8. An or Nu of 3
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Non-employee Director Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 43.98	09/10/2012		M	17,500	<u>(3)</u> 11/03/2013	Common Stock	17
Non-employee Director Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 17.09	09/10/2012		M	10,000	<u>(4)</u> 11/02/2018	Common Stock	10
Non-employee Director Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 28.52	09/10/2012		M	7,500	11/02/2010 11/01/2019	Common Stock	7

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
KALKSTEIN MICHAEL 6140 STONERIDGE MALL DRIVE SUITE 590 PLEASANTON, CA 94588	X			

## Signatures

/s/ Michael H. Kalkstein 09/10/2012

\*\*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).

(1) Sale price represents an average of sale prices ranging from \$91.60 to \$92.51.

(2) These shares are held by Mr. Kalkstein in a pension fund.

(3) Vests when average of closing prices during any 30 consecutive trading days after the date of grant reaches \$48.37.

(4) All shares granted under this option are currently exercisable.

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