WOOD BENJAMIN W

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** WOOD BENJAMIN W			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
			ROPER INDUSTRIES INC /DE/ [ROP]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner Other (specify		
2160 SATELLITE B.VD., SUITE 200		., SUITE	11/03/2005	below) below) VP Scientific and Industrial I		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
DULUTH, GA	30097		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting		
Dele III, Gr	1 30077			Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I Non Devivative Securities Acc	animad Disposed of an Panaficially Owner		

(City)	(State)	Tabl	le 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)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d of (D)	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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	11/03/2005		M	6,700	A	\$ 31.355	16,700 (1)	D	
Common Stock	11/03/2005		S	6,700	D	\$ 37.618	10,000	D	

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number out 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
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 31.355	11/03/2005		M	6,700	04/18/2005	04/17/2012	Common	6,700

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Kelationships							
. 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
WOOD BENJAMIN W			VP Scientific					
2160 SATELLITE B.VD., SUITE 200			and Industrial					
DULUTH, GA 30097			I					

Signatures

Benjamin W. Wood, by Paul J. Soni his attorney-in-fact pursuant to Power of Attorney dated August 16, 2004.

11/07/2005

**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) The issuer's common stock has split 2-for-1, effected by a 100% stock dividend paid on August 26, 2005."

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