

ACOSTA DAVID  
Form 4  
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# FORM 4

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
ACOSTA DAVID

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 ROAD  
#590

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
04/07/2005

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

Treasurer

(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  
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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                    | 04/07/2005                           | 04/07/2005   | J <sup>(1)</sup>               |   | 1,300   | A  | \$ 74.55                          |
| Common Stock                    | 04/07/2005                           | 04/07/2005   | J <sup>(1)</sup>               |   | 100   | A  | \$ 74.65                          |
| Common Stock                    | 04/07/2005                           | 04/07/2005   | J <sup>(1)</sup>               |   | 500   | A  | \$ 74.66                          |
| Common Stock                    | 04/07/2005                           | 04/07/2005   | J <sup>(1)</sup>               |   | 100   | A  | \$ 74.72                          |
| Common Stock                    | 04/08/2005                           | 04/08/2005   | S                              |   | 1,000   | D  | \$ 72.72                          |

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|              |            |            |   |       |   |         |        |   |             |
|--------------|------------|------------|---|-------|---|---------|--------|---|-------------|
| Common Stock | 04/08/2005 | 04/08/2005 | S | 1,000 | D | \$ 72.8 | 10,000 | D |             |
| Common Stock |            |            |   |       |   |         | 220    | I | 401(k) Plan |

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. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Following Reporting Transaction (Instr. 5) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--|---|
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## Reporting Owners

**Reporting Owner Name / Address**

**Relationships**

Director    10% Owner    Officer    Other

ACOSTA DAVID  
6140 STONERIDGE MALL ROAD #590  
PLEASANTON, CA 94588

Treasurer

## Signatures

David Acosta                      04/11/2005

\_\_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) On April 5, 2005, the reporting party sold 2,000 shares. The sale was rescinded on April 7, 2005 due to improper execution under Rule 144.

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