#### NOVACK DEBORAH S

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## FORM 4

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may continue. See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * NOVACK KENNETH M	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
	SCHNITZER STEEL INDUSTRIES INC [SCHN]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 3200 NW YEON AVENUE	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/12/2009	_X_ Director		
(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		
PORTLAND, OR 97210		X_Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqui	red, 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 onor Dispos (Instr. 3,	sed of		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)
Class A Common Stock							300	I	See Note
Class A Common Stock							11,147.874	I	See Note
Class A Common Stock	11/12/2009		C	2,700	A	\$ 0	2,700	I	By Voting Trust (4)
Class A Common	11/12/2009		Z V	2,700	D	\$ 0	0	I	By Voting

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Stock								Trust (4)
Class A Common Stock	11/12/2009	Z	V 2,700	A	\$ 0	2,700	I	By Trust
Class A Common Stock	11/12/2009	S	100	D	\$ 44.76	2,600	I	By Trust
Class A Common Stock	11/12/2009	S	100	D	\$ 44.77	2,500	I	By Trust
Class A Common Stock	11/12/2009	S	100	D	\$ 44.81	2,400	I	By Trust
Class A Common Stock	11/12/2009	S	100	D	\$ 44.86	2,300	I	By Trust
Class A Common Stock	11/12/2009	S	100	D	\$ 44.87	2,200	I	By Trust
Class A Common Stock	11/12/2009	S	100	D	\$ 44.8898	2,100	I	By Trust
Class A Common Stock	11/12/2009	S	100	D	\$ 44.89	2,000	I	By Trust
Class A Common Stock	11/12/2009	S	100	D	\$ 44.9	1,900	I	By Trust
Class A Common Stock	11/12/2009	S	100	D	\$ 44.91	1,800	I	By Trust
Class A Common Stock	11/12/2009	S	300	D	\$ 44.9363	1,500	I	By Trust
Class A Common Stock	11/12/2009	S	100	D	\$ 44.96	1,400	I	By Trust
Class A Common Stock	11/12/2009	S	200	D	\$ 44.97	1,200	I	By Trust
Class A Common Stock	11/12/2009	S	198	D	\$ 44.98	1,002	I	By Trust

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Class A Common Stock	11/12/2009	S	100	D	\$ 44.99	902	I	By Trust
Class A Common Stock	11/12/2009	S	2	D	\$ 45	900	I	By Trust
Class A Common Stock	11/12/2009	S	100	D	\$ 45.01	800	I	By Trust
Class A Common Stock	11/12/2009	S	100	D	\$ 45.1	700	I	By Trust
Class A Common Stock	11/12/2009	S	2	D	\$ 45.24	698	I	By Trust
Class A Common Stock	11/12/2009	S	100	D	\$ 45.3	598	I	By Trust
Class A Common Stock	11/12/2009	S	98	D	\$ 45.31	500	I	By Trust
Class A Common Stock	11/12/2009	S	100	D	\$ 45.49	400	I	By Trust
Class A Common Stock	11/12/2009	S	100	D	\$ 45.51	300	I	By Trust
Class A Common Stock	11/12/2009	S	100	D	\$ 45.65	200	I	By Trust
Class A Common Stock	11/12/2009	S	100	D	\$ 45.76	100	I	By Trust
Class A Common Stock	11/12/2009	S	100	D	\$ 45.79	0	I	By Trust

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)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	Secu Acq (A) o Disp (D)	urities juired or posed of tr. 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Pri Deriv Secur (Instr
			Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Class B Common Stock	<u>(3)</u>	11/12/2009	C		2,700	(3)	(3)	Class A Common Stock	2,700	\$
Class B Common Stock	(3)					(3)	(3)	Class A Common Stock	19,302	
Class B Common Stock	<u>(3)</u>					(3)	(3)	Class A Common Stock	12,556	
Class B Common Stock	<u>(3)</u>					(3)	<u>(3)</u>	Class A Common Stock	25,333	

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
NOVACK KENNETH M 3200 NW YEON AVENUE PORTLAND, OR 97210	X	X						
NOVACK DEBORAH S 3200 NW YEON AVENUE PORTLAND, OR 97210		X						

# **Signatures**

Richard C. Josephson, Attorney-In-Fact

\*\*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) Shares are held by Kevin P. Novack, an immediate family member of the reporting persons who may be deemed to share the same household.

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- (2) Deferred Shares that have been or will be credited to the reporting person's account under the issuer's Deferred Compensation Plan for Non-Employee Directors.
- (3) Class B Common Stock is immediately convertible on a one-for-one basis into Class A Common Stock and has no expiration date.
- (4) Voting trust certificates or shares, as the case may be, are held by Kenneth M. Novack and Deborah S. Novack, Trustees of the Hidden Valley Trust Agreement, under Trust Agreement dated December 11, 2006.
- Voting trust certificates or shares, as the case may be, are held by the 1997 Melanie Novack Trust, dated 8/17/97, Deborah S. Novack and Kenneth M. Novack, collectively as Trustees.
- Voting trust certificates or shares, as the case may be, are held by the 1997 Kevin Novack Trust, dated 8/17/97, Deborah S. Novack and Kenneth M. Novack, collectively as Trustees.
- (7) Voting Trust Certificates or shares, as the case may be, are held by Gary A. Schnitzer and Deborah Novack, Trustees, Gary A. Schnitzer Family Trust dated May 15, 1991.

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