

ROBERTS RALPH V  
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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 \*  
**ROBERTS RALPH V**  
  
(Last) (First) (Middle)  
  
**WORTHINGTON INDUSTRIES, INC., 200 OLD WILSON BRIDGE ROAD**  
  
(Street)  
  
**COLUMBUS, OH 43085**  
  
(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**WORTHINGTON INDUSTRIES INC [WOR]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**01/30/2006**

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
  
(Check all applicable)  
  
 Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
**Exec VP Marketing**

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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. Code		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 Shares	01/30/2006		M		100	A	\$ 9.3	19,381 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	
Common Shares	01/30/2006		S		100	D	\$ 21	19,281	D	
Common Shares	01/31/2006		M		2,800	A	\$ 9.3	22,081	D	
Common Shares	01/31/2006		S		2,800	D	\$ 20.75	19,281	D	
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Common  
Shares

Common  
Shares

19,094 <sup>(2)</sup> I

By 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)	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Purchase)	\$ 9.3	01/30/2006		M	100	03/30/2002 <sup>(3)</sup> 03/29/2011	Common Shares	100
Employee Stock Option (Right to Purchase)	\$ 9.3	01/31/2006		M	2,800	03/30/2002 <sup>(2)</sup> 03/29/2011	Common Shares	2,800

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
ROBERTS RALPH V WORTHINGTON INDUSTRIES, INC. 200 OLD WILSON BRIDGE ROAD COLUMBUS, OH 43085			Exec VP Marketing	

## Signatures

Ralph V.  
Roberts

02/01/2006

\_\_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).  
Amount listed is the most up-to-date information available regarding shares acquired as a result of an acquisition of common shares  
(1) obtained through the Worthington Industries Dividend Reinvestment Plan. The reporting person acquired 473 common shares in that fund.  
(2) Amount listed is the most up-to-date information available regarding holdings in the Company Plan Fund which invests in Common Shares of the Company.  
(3) This option was granted out of the Company's Long-Term Incentive Stock Option Plan and vests at 20% per year beginning on the date listed.

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