ABEL JAMES J Form 4 April 11, 2003

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FORM 4

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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 Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16.
Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue.
See Instruction 1(b).

1.	Name and Address of Reporting 2 Person*		Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	3.	. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (Voluntary)	
	Abel, James J. (<i>Last</i>) (<i>First</i>) (<i>Middle</i>) The Lamson & Sessions Co. 25701 Science Park Drive (<i>Street</i>)		The Lamson & Sessions Co. LMS			
					. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)	
			Statement for Month/Day/Year	5.		
			4/9/2003			
			Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (<i>Check All Applicable</i>)	7.	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)	
	Cleveland Ohio 44122		X Director O 10% Owner		X	Form Filed by One Reporting Person
	(City) (State) (Zip)		X Officer (give title below)		0	Form Filed by More
			O Other (specify below)			than One Reporting Person
			Executive Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer and Chief			

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Financial Officer

Reminder:	Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.
*	If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, <i>see</i> instruction $4(b)(v)$.

Title of 2. Security (Instr. 3)	Transaction 2. Date (Month/Day/Year)	A. Deemed Execution 3 Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	8. Transaction 4 Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Disposed (Instr. 3, 4	of (D)		5. Amount of Sec- urities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Trans- action(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
COMMON STOCK							78,773	Ι	(1)
COMMON STOCK							28,866	D	(2)
COMMON STOCK	04/09/03		А	837	А	\$4.687	57,692	Ι	(3)
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Table I Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

(1) Held under The Lamson & Sessions Co. Deferred Savings Plan (i.e., 401-K Plan) as of March 31, 2003, exempt under Rule 16b-3(c).

(2) Total includes 4,843 restricted shares, exempt under Rule 16b-3(d)(1), held by issuer until 3-year vesting period, on February 21, 2004 and February 18, 2006 of 2,955 and 1,888 common shares, respectively.

(3) Held in Trust pursuant to the Deferred Compensation Plan for Executive Officers - a 16b-3 Plan as of April 9, 2003.

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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 2. Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise 3. Price of Derivative Security	Transaction Date (<i>Month/Day/Year</i>)		Deemed Execution 4. Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction 5. Code (Instr. 8)		A) or Disposed of (D)
						Code V	(A)	(D)
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Table II Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned Continued (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)								
6. Date Exercisable and 7 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 Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10.Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11.Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
Date Expiration Exercisable Date	Amount or Number of Title Shares							

Explanation of Responses:

/s/ Aileen Liebertz,	4/11/2003
**Signature of Reporting Person Aileen Liebertz, Attorney-in-Fact for James J. Abel	Date

** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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