WEISS ROBERT S

Form 4

January 07, 2005

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** WEISS ROBERT S			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol COOPER COMPANIES INC [COO]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last) (First) (Middle)		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
6140 STONE SUITE 590	RIDGE M	ALL DR.,	(Month/Day/Year) 01/07/2005	_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Exec. VP, Finance & CFO		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
PLEASANTON CA 94588				Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-I	Derivative (Securi	ities Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	on Date, if Transacti Code				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	01/07/2005	01/07/2005	M	84,000	A	\$ 18	84,000	D	
Common Stock	01/07/2005	01/07/2005	S	81,300	D	\$ 71	2,700	D	
Common Stock	01/07/2005	01/07/2005	S	1,600	D	\$ 71.04	1,100	D	
Common Stock	01/07/2005	01/07/2005	S	100	D	\$ 71.05	1,000	D	
Common Stock	01/07/2005	01/07/2005	S	400	D	\$ 71.09	600	D	

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Common Stock	01/07/2005	01/07/2005	S	600	D	\$ 71.13	0	D	
Common Stock							5,108	I	401(k)

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 of orDerivative 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
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 18	01/07/2005	01/07/2005	M	84,000	06/08/2000	09/24/2008	Common Stock	84,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
WEISS ROBERT S 6140 STONERIDGE MALL DR., SUITE 590 PLEASANTON, CA 94588	X		Exec. VP, Finance & CFO				
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Signatures

Robert S Weiss 01/07/2005

**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).

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