VOLKEMA MICHAEL A

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FORM 4

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1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * VOLKEMA MICHAEL A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Symbol

WOLVERINE WORLD WIDE INC

(Check all applicable)

/DE/ [WWW]

04/20/2006

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

X_ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

C/O 9341 COURTLAND DRIVE

(Street)

(First)

(Middle)

NE

Security

(Instr. 3)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Instr. 8)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(Instr. 4)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

Issuer

below)

ROCKFORD, MI 49351

(State) (Zip) (City) 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

3. 4. Securities (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I) Ownership

Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

(A)

or

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

(Month/Day/Year)

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(Instr. 4)

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 1. Title of (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction of Derivative Expiration Date Conversion

5. Number

6. Date Exercisable and

7. Title and Amount of 8 Underlying Securities

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| Security (Instr. 3) | or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | | any (Month/Day/Year) | Code (Instr. 8) | Securities (Month/Day/Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | (Month/Day/Y | ear) | (Instr. 3 and 4) | | (|
|--------------------------------------|---|------------|-------------------------|-----------------|--|-----|---------------------|--------------------|------------------|--|---|
| | | | | Code V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | |
| Phantom Stock | <u>(1)</u> | 04/20/2006 | | A | 624 | | <u>(1)</u> | <u>(1)</u> | Common Stock | 624 | : |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 24.055 | 04/20/2006 | | A | 3,741 | | 04/20/2006 | 04/19/2016 | Common Stock | 3,741 | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|--|
| • 0 | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| VOLKEMA MICHAEL A C/O 9341 COURTLAND DRIVE NE ROCKFORD, MI 49351 | X | | | | | | |

Signatures

/s/ Jeffrey A. Ott, by power of attorney 04/21/2006

**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).
- (1) Award of phantom stock pursuant to Outside Directors' Deferred Compensation Plan. Shares of common stock are issuable on a one-for-one basis in either a lump sum or installments after termination of service as a director or upon change in control of the company.

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