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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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Instruction 1(b).

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* BENDER A THOMAS	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>COOPER COMPANIES INC</u> [COO]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 6140 STONERIDGE MALL DR., SUITE 590	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/22/2010	Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)
(Street) PLEASANTON CA 94588 (City) (State) (Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X 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)	Code (curities Acquired (A) or Ised Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	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	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1150.4)
Common Stock	11/22/2010		A		2,000 ⁽¹⁾	A	\$ <mark>0.1</mark>	64,594	D	
Common Stock								5,666	Ι	Wife

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

1. Title of 3. Transaction 3A. Deemed 5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and 8. Price of 9. Number of 11. Nature 10 Ownership Conversion Transaction Derivative Date Execution Date of Expiration Date Amount of Derivative derivative of Indirect Security (Instr. 3) or Exercise Price of (Month/Day/Year) if any (Month/Day/Year) Code (Instr. 8) Derivative (Month/Day/Year) Securities Security (Instr. 5) Securities Beneficially Form: Direct (D) Beneficial Ownership Underlying Securities Acquired Derivative Derivative Owned or Indirect (Instr. 4) (A) or Disposed Security Security (Instr. 3 Following (I) (Instr. 4) and 4) Reported of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) and 5) Amount oı Number Date Expiration of Code ν (A) (D) Date Title Shares Exercisable

Explanation of Responses:

1. NED RS Grant 11/15/10: Restrictions will be removed on the first anniversary of the date of grant, 11/15/11.

/s/ A. Thomas Bender

** Signature of Reporting Person

11/23/2010

Date

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, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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