FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  PRESS DONALD					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol COOPER COMPANIES INC [ COO ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					suer				
PRESS DONALD						[								X	Direc	ctor		10% O	wner			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 6140 STONERIDGE MALL DRIVE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/06/2009										Office below	er (give title w)		Other (specify below)			
SUITE 590					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable								
(Street)																Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person						
PLEASANTON CA 94588															Form filed by More than One Reporting Person							
(City)	(	(Stat	te) (2	Zip)																		
			Tabl	e I - Nor	ı-Deriv	ative	Se	curitie	s Acc	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or	Bene	eficia	ally	Owne	ed				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)					Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)  4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4)				4 and Secu Bene		cially I Following	6. Owner Form: Dir (D) or Ind (I) (Instr.	rect lirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)						
										Code	v	Amount (A) or (D)		Price	•	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(11150.4)		
Common Stock 01/06/					5/2009				A	A 1,600		1)	A	\$0.1		37,549		D				
	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 Exercis Price of Derivative Security	sion C cise (I	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Da if any (Month/Day/	Date, Transaction Code (Insti		n of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		е	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)			Deriv Secu	rivative curity str. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction ((Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	: t (D) lirect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
						Code	v			Date Exercisal		Expiration Date	Title	or Nun of	nber							

## **Explanation of Responses:**

 $1.\ NED\ RS\ Grant\ 11/17/08$ : Restrictions will be removed on the first anniversary of the date of grant, 11/17/09.

<u>/s/ Donald Press</u> <u>01/06/2009</u>

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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