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### FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Walle and Address of Reporting Ferson			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>COOPER COMPANIES INC</u> [ COO ]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
ZINBERG STANLEY MD			t _	Х	Director	10% Owner		
(Last) 700 NEW HAMI	(First) PSHIRE AVENUE	(Middle) E, N.W.	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/15/2002		Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)		
(Street) WASHINGTON, D.C.	,	20037-2406	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 11/15/2002	6. Indiv Line) X	idual or Joint/Group Filing Form filed by One Repor Form filed by More than Person	rting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)						

#### 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)			4. Securities A Disposed Of ( 5)			Securities Beneficially	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)		(11311 4)
Common Stock	11/15/2002	10/14/2003	Α		1,000(1)	A	\$ <mark>0</mark> .1	2,427	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 Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction of Code (Instr. Derivativ		Transaction Code (Instr.		ative rities ired osed	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title Amour Securi Underl Deriva Securi and 4)	nt of ties ying tive ty (Instr. 3	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						

Explanation of Responses:

1. Grant of Restricted Stock at .10 per shr. subject to payment by 1/15/03, which amount was paid.

**Remarks:** 

### Stanley Zinberg, M.D.

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

10/14/2003

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).

\*\* 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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