FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT	OF CHANGES II	N BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*				2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol  COOPER COMPANIES INC [ COO ]								Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)							
PRESS DONALD				_ ا _	COOT LIX COMPANIES INC [ COO ]								X	Directo	r 10% Owne		/ner		
(Last) 6140 ST	`	irst) E MALL DR., S	(Middle) UITE 590		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/01/2006									Officer (give title below)				Other (specify below)	
(Street)	ANTON C.	A	94588	4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Lin						n	
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)											1 013011					
		Tab	le I - Non-D	erivativ	e Se	curities	s Ac	quired, I	Disp	osed o	f, or Be	neficial	lly C	Owned					
Date			Transaction ate onth/Day/Y	Execution Date,		Code (I			ecurities Acquired (A nosed Of (D) (Instr. 3,		4 and Securiti		s illy ollowing	Form (D) o	: Direct r Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
							Code	v	Amount	(A) o (D)	Price	- 17	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)						
Common	mmon Stock									25,949			D						
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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/Yea	Code				6. Date Exercisable Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Am of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)		Dei	3. Price of Derivative Security Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	e S Illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisabl		expiration vate	Title	Amount or Number of Shares							
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$57.87	11/01/2006	11/01/2006	A		17,500		(1)	1	0/31/2016	Common Stock	17,500	\$	\$57.87	17,500	0	D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Vests when the average of the closing prices during any 30 consecutive trading days after the date of grant reaches \$63.66 or on November 1, 2011, which ever is earliest.

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\*\* 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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