FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  RUBENSTEIN ALLAN E						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol COOPER COMPANIES INC [ COO ]										eck all appl	onship of Reporting Il applicable) Director		10% Ov	vner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 6140 STONERIDGE MALL DRIVE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/18/2009										Office below	r (give title )		Other (s below)	specify	
SUITE 5	90		4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)													6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
(Street) PLEASA	ANTON C	A	94588		_												X Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(S	itate)	(Zip)																		
		Tab	le I - No	n-Deri\	/ative	Se	curit	ies Ac	qu	ired,	Dis	posed o	of, or E	Bene	ficial	ly Owne	d				
Date					action Day/Yea	ar)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)				Benefic	es ially Following	Forn (D) o	n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
								Code	v	Amount	(A)	or I	Price	Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(Instr. 4)			
Common Stock					12/18/2009					M		2,000	) ,	4	\$13.0	08 12	2,104		D		
Common Stock 1:					8/2009					S		706	D \$3°		\$37.4	11	11,398		D		
		7	Table II -									osed of onverti				Owned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deem Executior if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr 8)				Ex	6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ly (	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Dat	te ercisabl		xpiration ate	Title	or Nu of	nount imber iares						
Non- employee Director Stock Option (Right to	\$13.08	12/18/2009			М			2,000	12	2/11/2009	9 1	2/10/2018	Commo Stock	n 2	,000	\$0	8,000	)	D		

**Explanation of Responses:** 

/s/ Allan E. Rubenstein, M.D. 12/21/2009

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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