

HOPSON JAMES W
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
HOPSON JAMES W

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O LEE ENTERPRISES,
INCORPORATED, 201 N.
HARRISON ST., STE. 600

(Street)

DAVENPORT, IA 52801

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
LEE ENTERPRISES INC [LEE]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
11/19/2004

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
X Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
Vice President - Publishing

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)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
			Code	V Amount	(D) Price		
Common Stock	11/19/2004		A	3,800	D \$ 47.64	13,954	D

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

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

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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/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option	\$ 35.46	11/14/2001		A	20,000	11/14/2002 ⁽¹⁾ 11/14/2011	Common Stock	20,000
Employee Stock Option	\$ 32.49	11/13/2002		A	20,000	11/13/2002 ⁽¹⁾ 11/13/2012	Common Stock	20,000
Employee Stock Option	\$ 43.25	11/12/2003		A	11,000	11/12/2004 ⁽¹⁾ 11/12/2013	Common Stock	11,000
Employee Stock Option	\$ 47.64	11/19/2004		A	11,000	11/19/2005 ⁽¹⁾ 11/18/2014	Common Stock	11,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

HOPSON JAMES W
C/O LEE ENTERPRISES, INCORPORATED
201 N. HARRISON ST., STE. 600
DAVENPORT, IA 52801

Vice President - Publishing

Signatures

Edmund H. Carroll, Lmtd. POA,
Attorney-in-Fact

11/22/2004

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) These securities are exercisable as follows: 30% upon the first anniversary date of the grant; 60% upon the second anniversary date of the grant; and 100% upon the third anniversary date of the grant.

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