

COLLINS INDUSTRIES INC
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FORM 4

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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 *
CLARK TERRY L

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**C/O COLLINS INDUSTRIES
INC, 15 COMPUND DR**

(Street)

HUTCHINSON, KS 67502

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
**COLLINS INDUSTRIES INC
[COLL]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
12/15/2004

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
Executive VP - Operations

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| | | | Code | V | Amount or Price | | |
| Collins Industries, Inc. - Common Stock | 12/15/2004 | | M | | 5,000 A \$ 5.125 | 69,676 | D |
| Collins Industries, Inc. - Common Stock | 12/15/2004 | | M | | 800 A \$ 4.25 | 70,476 | D |
| | 12/15/2004 | | M | | 23,498 A | 93,974 | D |

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|---|------------|--|------------------|--------|---|--------|--------|--|--|-------|
| Collins Industries, Inc. - Common Stock | | | | | | \$ | | | | 4.375 |
| Collins Industries, Inc. - Common Stock | 12/15/2004 | | F ⁽¹⁾ | 19,676 | D | \$ 6.7 | 74,298 | | | D |
| Collins Industries, Inc. - Common Stock | 12/15/2004 | | F ⁽²⁾ | 3,989 | D | \$ 6.7 | 70,309 | | | 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)

| 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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---------|--|-----------------|---|----------------------------|
| | | | | | V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 5.125 | 12/15/2004 | | M | | 5,000 | 04/22/1997 | 11/22/2006 | Common Stock | 5,000 |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 4.25 | 12/15/2004 | | M | | 800 | 08/28/1997 | 02/28/2007 | Common Stock | 800 |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 4.375 | 12/15/2004 | | M | | 23,498 | 10/04/1997 | 04/04/2007 | Common Stock | 23,498 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|------------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| CLARK TERRY L C/O COLLINS INDUSTRIES INC 15 COMPUND DR HUTCHINSON, KS 67502 | | | Executive VP - Operations | |

Signatures

/s/ Larry W. Sayre, Attorney in Fact for Terry L. Clark under a Limited Power of Attorney dated December 4, 1997

12/15/2004

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).
 - ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Exchange of previously held shares for payment of exercise price.
 - (2) Exchange of previously held shares for payment of taxes.

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