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FEDERAL SIGNAL CORP /DE/ Form 4 February 24, 2009 OMB APPROVAL FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OMB 3235-0287 Washington, D.C. 20549 Number: Check this box January 31, Expires: if no longer 2005 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF subject to Estimated average **SECURITIES** Section 16. burden hours per Form 4 or response... 0.5 Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction 1(b). (Print or Type Responses) 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading LIETZ FRED H Issuer Symbol FEDERAL SIGNAL CORP /DE/ (Check all applicable) [fss] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_Officer (give title (Month/Day/Year) below) below) 1415 WEST 22ND STREET, SUITE 02/20/2009 V.P. & Chief Procurement Off. 1100 (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting OAK BROOK, IL 60123 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 5. Amount of 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) anv Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Owned Indirect (I) Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Following Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Price Code V Amount (D) Common 3.200 02/20/2009 \$0 A A $11,400^{(2)}$ D (1) Stock Common 401(k) 5,633.667 I Stock plan

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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 Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Sha
Stock Option (right-to-buy)	\$ 6.68	02/20/2009		А	10,200	(3)	02/20/2019	Common Stock	10,2
Performance Rights	<u>(4)</u>	02/20/2009		А	3,000	(4)	12/31/2011	Common Stock	6,00

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
LIETZ FRED H 1415 WEST 22ND STREET SUITE 1100 OAK BROOK, IL 60123			V.P. & Chief Procurement Off.		
Signatures					
Jennifer L. Sherman, attorney-i Lietz	n-fact for	Fred	02/24/2009		
<u>**</u> Signature of Reporting Pe	rson		Date		

**Signature of Reporting Person

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) This represents a restricted stock award. All 3,200 shares vest on 2/20/2012.
- (2) Some shares are subject to restrictions and forfeiture under the Company Stock Benefit Plan.
- (3) Options are exercisable as to 3,400 shares on 2/20/2010, 3,400 shares on 2/20/2011 and the remaining 3,400 shares on 2/20/2012.

Each performance share represents a contingent right to receive up to two shares of FSS common stock based on a three year performance metric. The number of shares to be received will depend on the Company's relative Total Shareholder Return (TSR) for the 3-year period

(4) beginning on January 1, 2009, which will be evaluated against the TSR over the same 3-year period for a pre-set group of approximately 30 peer companies. TSR is calculated by adding the changes in a company's closing stock price between December 30, 2008 and December 31, 2011 to any dividends paid during that period, and is adjusted for any stock splits or dividends.

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