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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 *
 Stroup John S

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 7733 FORSYTH BOULEVARD,
 SUITE 800
 (Street)

ST. LOUIS, MO 63105

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 BELDEN INC. [BDC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 02/07/2011

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)
 Chief Executive Officer

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 (A) or (D) Price		
Common Stock	02/07/2011		S		300 D \$ 39.325	244,023	D
Common Stock	02/07/2011		S		4,582 D \$ 39.33	239,441	D
Common Stock	02/07/2011		S		1,200 D \$ 39.335	238,241	D
Common Stock	02/07/2011		S		4,449 D \$ 39.34	233,792	D
Common Stock	02/07/2011		S		100 D \$ 39.35	233,692	D

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Common Stock	02/07/2011	S	285	D	\$ 39.36	233,407	D
Common Stock	02/07/2011	S	3,163	D	\$ 39.37	230,244	D
Common Stock	02/07/2011	S	100	D	\$ 39.375	230,144	D
Common Stock	02/07/2011	S	100	D	\$ 39.3775	230,044	D
Common Stock	02/07/2011	S	501	D	\$ 39.38	229,543	D
Common Stock	02/07/2011	S	199	D	\$ 39.3875	229,344	D
Common Stock	02/07/2011	S	300	D	\$ 39.39	229,044	D
Common Stock	02/07/2011	S	4,725	D	\$ 39.4	224,319	D
Common Stock	02/07/2011	S	600	D	\$ 39.42	223,719	D
Common Stock	02/07/2011	S	100	D	\$ 39.43	223,619	D
Common Stock	02/07/2011	S	198	D	\$ 39.51	223,421	D
Common Stock	02/07/2011	S	2	D	\$ 39.52	223,419	D
Common Stock	02/07/2011	S	100	D	\$ 39.53	223,319	D
Common Stock	02/07/2011	S	200	D	\$ 39.57	223,119	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	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo
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Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Stroup John S 7733 FORSYTH BOULEVARD, SUITE 800 ST. LOUIS, MO 63105	X		Chief Executive Officer	

Signatures

/s/ John S.
Stroup

02/09/2011

**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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