

ASTEC INDUSTRIES INC  
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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 \*  
STAFFORD ROBERT G

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

ASTEC INDUSTRIES INC [ASTE]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

09/06/2007

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

Corporate VP-R&D

1725 SHEPHERD RD

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Form filed by One Reporting Person

Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

CHATTANOOGA, TN 37421

(City) (State) (Zip)

**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)
Common Stock					3,348	I	by 401(k) Plan
Common Stock	09/06/2007		M	7,710 A	\$ 12.969 9,106	D	
Common Stock	09/06/2007		M	5,146 A	\$ 19.43 14,252	D	
Common Stock	09/06/2007		S	12,856 D	\$ 53.9 1,396	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 (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)	
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Phantom Stock	(1)					(1)	(1)	Common Stock	14,131.32
Stock Options	\$ 12.969	09/06/2007		M	7,710	01/01/2002	01/01/2011	Common Stock	7,710
Stock Options	\$ 19.43	09/06/2007		M	5,146	03/06/2006	03/06/2015	Common Stock	5,146

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
STAFFORD ROBERT G 1725 SHEPHERD RD CHATTANOOGA, TN 37421	X		Corporate VP-R& D	

## Signatures

Robert Taylor, attorney in fact for Robert Stafford  
09/07/2007

\_\_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) Phantom shares are held in a SERP and are payable in cash following the reporting person's termination of employment from Astec.

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