LEWIS ROBERT B

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * LEWIS ROBERT B			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SILGAN HOLDINGS INC [SLGN]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
(Last) (First) (Middla)		(Middle)		(Check all applicable)				
(Lust)	(11131)	(Wildale)	(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner				
SILGAN HOLDINGS INC., 4 LANDMARK SQUARE, SUITE 400			02/28/2011	X Officer (give title Other (specify below)				
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check				
STAMFOR	D. CT 06901	l	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting				
	(Street)	E, SUITE 400	02/28/2011 4. If Amendment, Date Original	X_ Officer (give title Other (s below)				

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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative S	ecurit	ies Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities omr Disposed (Instr. 3, 4	d of (D))	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	02/28/2011		A	100,000	A	(<u>1</u>)	242,840	D	
Common Stock	03/01/2011		F	3,057	D	\$ 36.42	239,783 (2)	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	f 2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	e and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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						Exercisable	Date		of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		
				Code v	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer Other Director 10% Owner

LEWIS ROBERT B SILGAN HOLDINGS INC. 4 LANDMARK SQUARE, SUITE 400 STAMFORD, CT 06901

Executive VP and CFO

Signatures

/s/ Robert B. 03/02/2011 Lewis

**Signature of Date Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

- If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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On August 6, 2009, the reporting person was granted 100,000 restricted stock units (after giving effect to the Issuer's two-for-one stock split effected on May 3, 2010) under the Silgan Holdings Inc. 2004 Stock Incentive Plan, as amended, subject to the satisfaction of certain (1) performance criteria for the Issuer's 2010 fiscal year. The performance criteria for the Issuer's 2010 fiscal year was determined to have been met upon the finalization of the Issuer's audited financial statements for 2010. Accordingly, these restricted stock units will vest all at once on August 1, 2014 and will be settled in shares of Common Stock on a 1-for-1 basis.

This amount includes 133,160 restricted stock units that have not yet vested that have been granted under the Silgan Holdings Inc. 2004 Stock Incentive Plan, as amended. Upon vesting, these restricted stock units will be settled in shares of Common Stock on a 1-for-1 basis.

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