

CURLER JEFFREY H  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
CURLER JEFFREY H

(Last) (First) (Middle)

SUITE 2300, 222 S. 9TH ST.

(Street)

MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55402-4099

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
BEMIS CO INC [BMS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
01/27/2006

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)  
CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	01/27/2006		M	24,345 (12) A \$ 16.1563	679,389	D	
Common Stock					28,696	I (1)	401(k) Plan
Common Stock					96,320	I (2)	Children
Common Stock					300,000	I (3)	1/6th interest - Limited Partnership Family

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Common Stock	258,500	I <sup>(4)</sup>	Trust <sup>(3)</sup> Trustee Parental Trust
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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 Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title
Common Stock	<u>(5)</u>	01/01/2002		A	37,957	12/31/2006 <sup>(7)</sup> 12/31/2006	Common Stock
Common Stock	<u>(5)</u>	01/02/2003		A	62,540	12/31/2007 <sup>(8)</sup> 12/31/2007	Common Stock
Common Stock	<u>(5)</u>	01/28/2004		A	106,000	12/31/2008 <sup>(9)</sup> 12/31/2008	Common Stock
Common Stock	<u>(5)</u>	01/01/2005		A	123,000	12/31/2009 <sup>(10)</sup> 12/31/2009	Common Stock
Common Stock	<u>(5)</u>	01/02/2006		A	130,000	12/31/2010 <sup>(11)</sup> 12/31/2010	Common Stock
Common Stock	\$ 16.1563	02/22/1996	01/27/2006	M	90,864 <sup>(12)</sup>	<sup>(13)</sup> 02/22/2006	Common Stock
Common Stock	\$ 22.4375	10/07/1997		A	150,000	<sup>(13)</sup> 10/07/2007	Common Stock
Common Stock	\$ 18.8125	01/01/1999		A	43,352	<sup>(13)</sup> 12/31/2008	Common Stock
Common Stock	\$ 17.4375	01/01/2000		A	61,126	<sup>(13)</sup> 12/31/2009	Common Stock
Common Stock	\$ 18.8125	05/03/2000		A	200,000	<sup>(13)</sup> 05/03/2010	Common Stock
Common Stock	\$ 16.7813	01/01/2001		A	122,146	<sup>(13)</sup> 12/31/2010	Common Stock

Common Stock	\$ 24.59	01/01/2002	A	53,872	(13)	12/31/2011	Common Stock
Common Stock	\$ 24.815	01/02/2003	A	82,282	(13)	12/31/2012	Common Stock

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
CURLER JEFFREY H SUITE 2300 222 S. 9TH ST. MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55402-4099	X		CEO	

## Signatures

J J Seifert Power of Attorney  
01/31/2006

\_\_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) No price necessary for Edgar Filing - Company 401(k) Plan.
- (2) Reporting Person is Trustee of Trust for one Dependent Child.  
Reporting Person has an undivided 1/6th interest in a Limited Partnership Family Trust which was established December 2000.
- (3) Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of Bemis Common Stock held by the Family Limited Partnership except to the extent of his 1/6th interest.
- (4) Reporting Person is Trustee for Parental Trust. Reporting Person is a Trustee relative to these shares and was not timely notified by a brokering agent of the transaction.
- (5) Security converts to Common Stock on a one-for-one basis on date of conversion.
- (6) Will know price on the date of conversion.  
Award under Bemis Time Accelerated Restricted Stock Appreciation Program (TARSAP) exempt under Rule 16b-3: Grant to Reporting Person of right to receive stock as of December 31, 2006, or if certain performance targets are met by the Company on December 31, 2004. Performance targets were met resulting in a payout on February 2, 2005, leaving right to receive 37,957 shares.
- (8) Award under Bemis Time Accelerated Restricted Stock Appreciation Program (TARSAP) exempt under Rule 16b-3: Grant to Reporting Person of right to receive stock as of December 31, 2007, or if certain performance targets are met by the Company on December 31, 2005.
- (9) Award under Bemis Time Accelerated Restricted Stock Appreciation Program (TARSAP) exempt under Rule 16b-3: Grant to Reporting Person of right to receive stock as of December 31, 2008, or if certain performance targets are met by the Company on December 31, 2006.
- (10) Award under Bemis Time Accelerated Restricted Stock Appreciation Program (TARSAP) exempt under Rule 16b-3: Grant to Reporting Person of right to receive stock as of December 31, 2009, or if certain performance targets are met by the Company on December 31, 2007.
- (11) Award under Bemis Time Accelerated Restricted Stock Appreciation Program (TARSAP) exempt under Rule 16b-3: Grant to Reporting Person of right to receive stock as of December 31, 2010, or if certain performance targets are met by the Company on December 31, 2008.

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- (12) Exercise of option to purchase 90,864 shares. Reporting Person attested to ownership of 48,005 shares to cover the cost of exercise and requested the Company to use 18,514 shares to cover withholding taxes, resulting in the issuance of 24,345 shares to Reporting Person.
- (13) Stock Option (right to buy) pursuant to Stock Option Plan exempt under Rule 16b-3: Option presently exercisable..
- (14) Will know the price on the date of exercise.

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