STEEL DYNAMICS INC

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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may continue. See Instruction

1(b).

Common

Stock

05/10/2006

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and A	Address of Reporting MARK D	Symbol	er Name and Ticker or Trading L DYNAMICS INC [STLD]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First) (I	Middle) 3. Date of	of Earliest Transaction	, 11			
`			Day/Year) 2006	X Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Vice President			
	(Street)	4. If Amo	endment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
BUTLER, I	N 46721 (State)	(7:5)	onth/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	Tab	ole I - Non-Derivative Securities	Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned			
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	D) Securities Ownership Indirect Beneficially Form: Direct Beneficial Owned (D) or Ownership Following Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Reported (Instr. 4) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			

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)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number for 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 Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy) (2)	\$ 14.09	05/10/2006		M(3)		4,259	11/21/2001	05/21/2006	Common Stock	4,259

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
reporting owner runner runners	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
MILLETT MARK D 4500 COUNTY ROAD 59 BUTLER, IN 46721	X		Vice President			

Signatures

Mark D. Millett 05/11/2006

**Signature of 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) Acquisition of stock pursuant to employee stock option plan exempt under Rule 16b-6(b).
- (2) Grant exempt under Rule 16b-3(d)(2). Exercise exempt under Rule 16b-6.
- (3) Exercise of option exempt under Rule 16b-3(e).

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