

WORTHINGTON INDUSTRIES INC  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
**WELCH RICHARD G**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**WORTHINGTON INDUSTRIES INC [WOR]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
**200 OLD WILSON BRIDGE ROAD**  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**10/02/2007**

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

**COLUMBUS, OH 43085**

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

(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)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Shares	10/02/2007		M		4,000 A \$ 15.15	16,201	D
Common Shares	10/02/2007		S		2,960 D \$ 24.588	13,241	D
Common Shares	10/02/2007		M		2,000 A \$ 15.26	15,241	D
Common Shares	10/02/2007		S		1,487 D \$ 24.588	13,754	D
Common Shares	10/02/2007		M		3,000 A \$ 19.2	16,754	D

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Common Shares	10/02/2007	S	2,570	D	\$ 24.588	14,184	D
Common Shares	10/02/2007	M	2,000	A	\$ 17.01	16,184	D
Common Shares	10/02/2007	S	1,588	D	\$ 24.588	14,596	D
Common Shares	10/02/2007	M	2,000	A	\$ 18.17	16,596	D
Common Sha	10/02/2007	S	1,655	D	\$ 24.588	14,941	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)	Amount or Number of Shares	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Purchase)	\$ 15.15	10/02/2007		M	4,000	06/03/2003 <sup>(1)</sup>	06/02/2012	common shares	4,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Purchase)	\$ 15.26	10/02/2007		M	2,000	06/02/2004 <sup>(2)</sup>	06/01/2013	common shares	2,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Purchase)	\$ 19.2	10/02/2007		M	3,000	06/01/2005 <sup>(3)</sup>	05/31/2014	common shares	3,000

Employee  
Stock  
Option  
(Right to  
Purchase)

\$ 17.01

10/02/2007

M

2,000

06/01/2006<sup>(3)</sup>

05/31/2015

common  
shares

2,000

Employee  
Stock  
Option  
(Right to  
Purchase)

\$ 18.17

10/02/2007

M

2,000

06/01/2007<sup>(3)</sup>

05/31/2016

common  
shares

2,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
WELCH RICHARD G 200 OLD WILSON BRIDGE ROAD COLUMBUS, OH 43085			Controller	

## Signatures

/s/Richard G.  
Welch

10/03/2007

\*\*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) This non-qualified stock option was granted out of the Company's 1990 Stock Option Plan and vests at 20% per year. Date listed is the first day the options are available.
- (2) This non-qualified stock option was granted out of the Company's Long-Term Incentive Stock Option Plan and vests at 20% per year. Date listed is the first day the options are available.
- (3) This non-qualified stock option was granted out of the Company's 2003 Stock Option Plan and vests at 20% per year. Date listed is the first day the options are available.

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