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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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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Downing David B			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LINDSAY MANUFACTURING CO [LNN]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) 2707 N. 108'	(First) (M	fiddle)	3. Date of (Month/Da 11/01/20					Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Vice President & CFO		
			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State) (Zip)	Table	: I - Non-Do	erivative S	Securi	ties Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution any	med on Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	Disposed (Instr. 3,	l (A) of (D) 4 and (A) or))	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	11/01/2006			M	455	A	\$0	455	D	
Common	11/01/2006			E	151	D	\$ 0	304	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)

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number coof Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration D (Month/Day	ate	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
Option to Purchase	\$ 24.7					<u>(1)</u>	08/30/2014	Common Stock	7,500
Option to Purchase	\$ 24.29					(2)	08/15/2015	Common Stock	15,000
Option to Purchase	\$ 19.33					(3)	11/08/2005	Common Stock	3,750
Restricted Stock Unit	\$ 0	11/01/2006		M	455	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	909

Reporting Owners

	Relationships
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Kelationiships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Downing David B 2707 N. 108TH ST. SUITE 102

Vice President & CFO

OMAHA, NE 68164

Signatures

Dave Downing 11/03/2006

**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) The option vests in five equal annual installments beginning on August 30, 2005.
- (2) The option vests in five equal annual installments beginning on August 15, 2006.
- (3) The option vests in five equal annual installments beginning on November 8, 2006.
- (4) The restricted stock units vest in two equal annual installments beginning on November 1, 2007. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person as soon as practicable following the relevent vesting date. The Company will retain from each distribution, shares of

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common stock required to satisfy minimum tax withholding obligations.

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