FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP
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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Edelson I Steven							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LAWSON PRODUCTS INC/NEW/DE/ [LAWS]									all app	p of Reportin blicable) ctor er (give title	ng Pers	10% C		
	Last) (First) (Middle) C/O LAWSON PRODUCTS, INC. L666 EAST TOUHY AVENUE				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/10/2010											belov	v)		below)		
(Street) DES PLAINES IL 60018 (City) (State) (Zip)					_ 4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									. Indiv ine) X	ividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable 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. Transar Date (Month/Date)						Execution I			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4				4 and Sec Ber Ow Rep		curities neficially ned Following ported		nership Direct Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	9	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)					
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value 05/10/)					4,274	(1)	A \$0		0 4,274			D			
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. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	Code (Inst				6. Date E: Expiration (Month/D	e ar)	Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		ount			9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(: (Instr. 4)	Ov Fo Dii or (I)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
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Explanation of Responses:

1. Represents a restricted stock award that will vest one year from the date of grant and which must be held until the earlier of (i) three years; or (ii) the date the director no longer serves on the Board.

/s/ Neil E. Jenkins, Attorney-

05/12/2010

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** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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