FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Smelcer Wilma						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LAWSON PRODUCTS INC/NEW/DE/ [LAWS]									(Check all ap		ctor 10% C		wner		
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O LAWSON PRODUCTS, INC. 8770 WEST BRYN MAWR AVENUE, SUITE 900						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/13/2013										Offici belov	er (give title v)		Other below)	(specify	
(Street) CHICAGO IL 60631 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									. Indivi	Form	fual 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. Transa Date (Month/D						ar) li	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code (Transaction D Code (Instr. 5)		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5)			4 and Se Be Ov		ount of ties cially I Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(11341. 4)	
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value 05/13/					13/2013						4,286	(1)	A	\$0		19,729		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)	ivative Conversion Date Execution or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			Date, ny/Year) <u>-</u>	Code (Instr.		of Deriv Secul Acqu (A) oi Dispo of (D) (Instr	of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Expiration Exercisable Date			or	ount nber			9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Owner Form Direct or Ind (I) (In	(D) irect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Represents a restricted stock award that will vest one year from the date of grant.

/s/ Neil E. Jenkins, Attorney-

05/15/2013

in-Fact

** 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).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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