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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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WASHLOW ROBERTA PORT			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>LAWSON PRODUCTS INC/NEW/DE/</u> LAWS		ionship of Reporting all applicable) Director	Persor	10% Owner
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)			Officer (give title below)		Other (specify below)
C/O ROBERT W MANAGEMENT	1	WEST	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/20/2011				
555 SKOKIE BO	ULEVARD, SUI	ГЕ 215	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indivi Line)	dual or Joint/Group F	iling (Check Applicable
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)					

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transa Code (8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock, par value \$1.00 per share	12/20/2011		S		1,000	D	\$15.7537	858,930	Ι	By Trusts	
Common Stock, par value \$1.00 per share	12/20/2011		S		40	D	\$16	858,980	Ι	By Trusts	
Common Stock, par value \$1.00 per share	12/21/2011		S		1,000	D	\$157,562	857,890	I	By Trusts	
Common Stock, par value \$1.00 per share	12/21/2011		S		300	D	\$16	857,590	I	By Trusts	
Common Stock, par value \$1.00 per share	12/22/2011		S		1,000	D	\$15.6504	856,590	Ι	By Trusts	

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. Transa Code (8)		of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) or Dispo of (D) (Instr	Derivative (Month/Day/Year) Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed		Date Amount of		ount of Derivative surities Security derlying (Instr. 5) rivative surity (Instr. 3 1 4)		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

Explanation of Responses:

<u>/s/ Roberta Port Washlow</u>

12/22/2011

Date

** Signature of Reporting Person

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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