FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington,	D.C.	20549
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STATEMENT	OF CHANGES	IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* PORT RONALD B					LA	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LAWSON PRODUCTS INC/NEW/DE/ [LAWS]											o of Reportin dicable) ctor		rson(s) to Is			
(Last) 1666 EA		(Firs	t) (I AVENUE	Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/12/2012											Officer (give title pelow)		Other (spec below)		
(Street) DES PLA (City)		IL (Sta		50018 Zip)		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individ ne) X	Forn Forn	I or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable orm filed by One Reporting Person orm filed by More than One Reporting erson				
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																					
Dat			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		Execution Date,				4. Securities Acquired (A) o Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a				and 5) Sec Ben Owi		cially I Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
								Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D) Pric		ice	1	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)			
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value 03/12				03/12/	2012	012			S		2,000	Г	\$	\$16.05(1)		714,540			D			
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value 03/1				03/13/	2012	012		S		2,000	D \$15		15.8	7(2) 712,540		12,540		D				
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value																22	1,836 ⁽³⁾		I	In trusts.		
	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)	vative Conversion Date Execution Date, urity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			on Date,	4. Transa Code (8)	nstr. Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Expiration Date Exercisable			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amour or Numbe of Title Shares		unt ber	nt er		tive derivative ty Securities		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$16.00 to \$16.10, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Lawson Products, Inc., any security holder of Lawson Products, Inc., or the staff of the Securities and Echange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth.
- 2. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$15.80 to \$16.16, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Lawson Products, Inc., any security holder of Lawson Products, Inc., or the staff of the Securities and Echange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth.
- 3. Reflects shares held in trusts for which the Reporting Person is a trustee. Amount above does not include 463,165 shares held by an independent trustee in trusts for the beneift of the Reporting Person's family. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial interest in these shares except to the extent of his economic interest in the securities.

/s/ Ronald B. Port

03/14/2012

** 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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