

ABEL JAMES J
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
ABEL JAMES J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
LAMSON & SESSIONS CO [LMS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
02/25/2005

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
Exec. VP, Sec., Treas. & CFO

THE LAMSON & SESSIONS CO., 25701 SCIENCE PARK DRIVE

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

CLEVELAND, OH 44122

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
COMMON STOCK	02/23/2005		M		36,000	A	\$ 5.813
COMMON STOCK					85,617	D	(1)
COMMON STOCK					20,987	I	See Footnote (2)
COMMON STOCK					98,163	I	See Footnote (3)

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

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Held under The Lamson & Sessions Co. Deferred Savings Plan (the "401(k) Plan") as of December 31, 2004, exempt under Rule 16b-3(c).

- (4) Grant to Reporting Person of option to buy 36,000 shares of the Company's Common Stock, exercisable after February 23, 1996 and then only as follows: one-third when the Company's Common Stock price reaches \$6.90; one-third when the Company's Common Stock price reaches \$8.05; and one-third when the Company's Common Stock price reaches \$9.20.

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