

CHICAGO BRIDGE & IRON CO N V  
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**FORM 4**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**BORDAGES DAVID P**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**CHICAGO BRIDGE & IRON CO N V [CBI]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 2103 RESEARCH FOREST DRIVE  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 12/11/2007

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 VP-Human Resources

THE WOODLANDS, TX 77380  
 (City) (State) (Zip)

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

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**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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	12/11/2007		M	35,748 A \$ 7	69,731	D	
Common Stock	12/11/2007		S	300 D \$ 57.37	69,341	D	
Common Stock	12/11/2007		S	92 D \$ 57.38	69,339	D	
Common Stock	12/11/2007		S	200 D \$ 57.41	69,139	D	
Common Stock	12/11/2007		S	400 D \$ 57.44	68,739	D	

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Common Stock	12/11/2007	S	261	D	\$ 57.46	68,478	D
Common Stock	12/11/2007	S	100	D	\$ 57.49	68,378	D
Common Stock	12/11/2007	S	200	D	\$ 57.5	68,178	D
Common Stock	12/11/2007	S	400	D	\$ 57.51	67,778	D
Common Stock	12/11/2007	S	800	D	\$ 57.54	66,978	D
Common Stock	12/11/2007	S	800	D	\$ 57.55	66,178	D
Common Stock	12/11/2007	S	600	D	\$ 57.56	65,578	D
Common Stock	12/11/2007	S	400	D	\$ 57.57	65,178	D
Common Stock	12/11/2007	S	500	D	\$ 57.58	64,678	D
Common Stock	12/11/2007	S	200	D	\$ 57.59	64,478	D
Common Stock	12/11/2007	S	600	D	\$ 57.61	63,878	D
Common Stock	12/11/2007	S	700	D	\$ 57.62	63,178	D
Common Stock	12/11/2007	S	200	D	\$ 57.66	62,978	D
Common Stock	12/11/2007	S	100	D	\$ 57.67	62,878	D
Common Stock	12/11/2007	S	400	D	\$ 57.7	62,478	D
Common Stock	12/11/2007	S	400	D	\$ 57.77	62,078	D
Common Stock	12/11/2007	S	900	D	\$ 57.78	61,178	D
Common Stock	12/11/2007	S	100	D	\$ 57.79	61,078	D
Common Stock	12/11/2007	S	300	D	\$ 57.82	60,778	D
Common Stock	12/11/2007	S	100	D	\$ 57.87	60,678	D
	12/11/2007	S	200	D		60,478	D

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Common Stock					\$				57.88
Common Stock	12/11/2007		S	100	D	\$	60,378		57.97
Common Stock	12/11/2007		S	1,031	D	\$	59,347		58
Common Stock	12/11/2007		S	834	D	\$	58,513		58.01
Common Stock	12/11/2007		S	185	D	\$	58,328		58.02

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

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**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. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price or Amount of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 7	12/11/2007		M	37,748	(1)	(2)	Common Stock	37,748

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BORDAGES DAVID P 2103 RESEARCH FOREST DRIVE THE WOODLANDS, TX 77380			VP-Human Resources	

## Signatures

David P.  
Bordages

12/12/2007

            
\*\*Signature of  
Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* 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).
- (1) The option was granted on February 25, 2002 and vests annually in four equal installments beginning February 25, 2003.
  - (2) The option expiration date is February 12, 2012.

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