

ROGERS CORP
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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 *
SOFFER ROBERT M

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**C/O ROGERS CORP, ONE
TECHNOLOGY DRIVE PO BOX
188**

(Street)

ROGERS, CT 06263-0188

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
ROGERS CORP [ROG]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
05/31/2005

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
V.P., Treasurer and Secretary

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 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. 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 or Price | | |
| Capital (Common) Stock | 05/31/2005 | | M | | 669 A \$ 38.22 | 39,253 | D |
| Capital (Common) Stock | 05/31/2005 | | F | | 614 D \$ 41.59 | 38,639 | D |
| Capital (Common) Stock | 05/31/2005 | | M | | 331 A \$ 38.22 | 38,970 | D |
| Capital | 05/31/2005 | | F | | 313 D \$ | 38,657 | D |

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|------------------------------|------------|---|-------|---|-------------|-----------------------|---|
| (Common) Stock | | | | | 41.59 | | |
| Capital (Common) Stock | 05/31/2005 | M | 500 | A | \$ 35 | 39,157 | D |
| Capital (Common) Stock | 05/31/2005 | F | 420 | D | \$ 41.59 | 38,737 | D |
| Capital (Common) Stock | 05/31/2005 | M | 500 | A | \$ 35 | 39,237 | D |
| Capital (Common) Stock | 05/31/2005 | F | 449 | D | \$ 41.59 | 38,788 | D |
| Capital (Common) Stock | 05/31/2005 | M | 2,000 | A | \$ 35.56 | 40,788 | D |
| Capital (Common) Stock | 05/31/2005 | F | 1,816 | D | \$ 41.59 | 38,972 | D |
| Capital (Common) Stock | 05/31/2005 | M | 3,000 | A | \$ 35.56 | 41,972 | D |
| Capital (Common) Stock | 05/31/2005 | F | 2,724 | D | \$ 41.59 | 39,248 | D |
| Capital (Common) Stock | 05/31/2005 | M | 5,800 | A | \$ 35.56 | 45,048 | D |
| Capital (Common) Stock | 05/31/2005 | F | 5,268 | D | \$ 41.59 | 39,780 | D |
| Capital (Common) Stock | 05/31/2005 | M | 2,000 | A | \$ 34.69 | 41,780 | D |
| Capital (Common) Stock | 05/31/2005 | F | 1,789 | D | \$ 41.59 | 39,991 | D |
| Capital (Common) Stock | 05/31/2005 | M | 3,200 | A | \$ 35.78 | 43,191 | D |
| Capital (Common) Stock | 05/31/2005 | F | 2,916 | D | \$ 41.59 | 40,275 ⁽¹⁾ | D |

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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) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 38.22 | 05/31/2005 | | M | 669 | 05/31/2005 07/21/2005 | Capital (Common) Stock | 669 |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 38.22 | 05/31/2005 | | M | 331 | 05/31/2005 07/21/2005 | Capital (Common) Stock | 331 |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 35 | 05/31/2005 | | M | 500 | 05/31/2005 08/01/2005 | Capital (Common) Stock | 500 |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 35 | 05/31/2005 | | M | 500 | 05/31/2005 08/01/2005 | Capital (Common) Stock | 500 |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 35.56 | 05/31/2005 | | M | 2,000 | 05/31/2005 08/02/2005 | Capital (Common) Stock | 2,000 |
| Employee Stock | \$ 35.56 | 05/31/2005 | | M | 3,000 | 05/31/2005 08/02/2005 | Capital (Common) | 3,000 |

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|--|----------|------------|---|-------|------------|------------|------------------------------|-------|--|
| Option (Right to Buy) | | | | | | | | Stock | |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 35.56 | 05/31/2005 | M | 5,800 | 05/31/2005 | 08/08/2005 | Capital (Common) Stock | 5,800 | |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 34.69 | 05/31/2005 | M | 2,000 | 05/31/2005 | 09/05/2005 | Capital (Common) Stock | 2,000 | |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 35.78 | 05/31/2005 | M | 3,200 | 05/31/2005 | 09/06/2005 | Capital (Common) Stock | 3,200 | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|-------------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| SOFFER ROBERT M C/O ROGERS CORP ONE TECHNOLOGY DRIVE PO BOX 188 ROGERS, CT 06263-0188 | | | V.P., Treasurer and Secretary | |

Signatures

Amy M. Vertefeuille as Power of Attorney 06/01/2005

__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) Mr. Soffer also indirectly owns 3,170.05236 shares of Rogers Corporation Capital (Common) Stock through the Company's 401(k) plan.

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