

ROGERS CORP  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

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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 \*  
Bessette Michael D

(Last) (First) (Middle)

ONE TECHNOLOGY DRIVE, P.O. 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)  
07/02/2007

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_X\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)

V.P. Durel Division

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
\_X\_ 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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |                                                    | Code                           | V                                                                 | Amount                                                                                        | (D)                                                      | Price                             |
| Capital (Common) Stock          | 07/02/2007                           |                                                    | J(1)                           |                                                                   | 209                                                                                           | A                                                        | \$ 31.45                          |
|                                 |                                      |                                                    |                                |                                                                   | 5,369.481                                                                                     | (2)                                                      | D                                 |

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)**

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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. 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 of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr |
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|                                            |                                                        |                                      |                                                    | Code                           | V (A) (D)                                                                               | Date Exercisable                                         | Expiration Date                                               | Title                                      | Amount or Number of Shares                         |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                                    | Relationships |           |                           |       |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------------------------|-------|
|                                                                                   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                   | Other |
| Bessette Michael D<br>ONE TECHNOLOGY DRIVE, P.O. BOX 188<br>ROGERS, CT 06263-0188 |               |           | V.P.<br>Durel<br>Division |       |

## Signatures

Eileen D. Kania as Power of Attorney 07/03/2007

\*\*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) This report is being filed voluntarily to report the acquisition of shares (at a discount price) by the reporting person under the Rogers Corporation Global Stock Ownership Plan for Employees (an employee stock purchase plan) in a transaction exempt under rule 16b-3.
  - (2) Mr. Bessette also indirectly owns 2,109.4419 shares of Rogers Corporation Capital (Common) Stock through the company's 401(k) plan.
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