

SKILLING D VAN
Form 4
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**UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

FORM 4

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

**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**

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| <p>1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*</p> <p>Skilling, D. Van</p> <hr/> <p><i>(Last) (First) (Middle)</i></p> <p>125 Netas Court</p> <hr/> <p><i>(Street)</i></p> <p>Palm Desert, California 92260</p> <hr/> <p><i>(City) (State) (Zip)</i></p> | <p>2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol</p> <p>The Lamson & Sessions Co. LMS</p> <hr/> <p>4. Statement for Month/Day/Year</p> <p>12/19/2002</p> <hr/> <p>6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer <i>(Check All Applicable)</i></p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Officer <i>(give title below)</i></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Other <i>(specify below)</i></p> <hr/> | <p>3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity <i>(Voluntary)</i></p> <hr/> <p>5. If Amendment, Date of Original <i>(Month/Day/Year)</i></p> <hr/> <p>7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing <i>(Check Applicable Line)</i></p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form Filed by One Reporting Person</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Form Filed by More than One Reporting Person</p> |
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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).

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

| 1. Title of Security <i>(Instr. 3)</i> | 2. Transaction Date <i>(Month/Day/Year)</i> | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any <i>(Month/Day/Year)</i> | 3. Transaction Code <i>(Instr. 8)</i> | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) <i>(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)</i> | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) <i>(Instr. 3 and 4)</i> | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) <i>(Instr. 4)</i> | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership <i>(Instr. 4)</i> |
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| | | | Code V | (A) or (D) | Amount | Price | | |
|--------------|----------|--|--------|------------|--------|----------|--------|-------|
| COMMON STOCK | 12/19/02 | | A | A | 533 | \$3.5162 | 59,738 | I (1) |

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| COMMON STOCK | | | | | | | 8,300 | D |
|--------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|-------|---|

Table II Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned Continued
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date <i>(Month/Day/Year)</i> | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities <i>(Instr. 3 and 4)</i> | 8. Price of Derivative Security <i>(Instr. 5)</i> | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) <i>(Instr. 4)</i> | 10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) <i>(Instr. 4)</i> | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership <i>(Instr. 4)</i> |
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| Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | |
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Explanation of Responses:

(1) Held in Trust pursuant to Directors Deferred Compensation Plan - a 16b-3 Plan. Transaction(s) completed by Trustee on December 19, 2002.

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| /s/ Aileen Liebertz | 12/20/2002 |
| _____ **Signature of Reporting Person Aileen Liebertz, Attorney-in-Fact for D. Van Skilling | _____ Date |

** 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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