KNUEPPEL HENRY W

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

KNUEPPEL HENRY W			Symbol REGAL BELOIT CORP [RBC]					Issuer		
								(Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction							
200 STATE STREET			(Month/Day/Year) 05/02/2008					X Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chairman/CEO		
	4	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting			
BELOIT, V	I									
DELOII,	W1 33311						Person			
(City)	(State) 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 D any (Month/Day	Date, if	Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A)))	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	Securities Ownership Indirect Beneficially Form: Beneficially Owned Direct (D) Ownership Indirect Owned Ownership Indirect Owne	
				Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	05/02/2008			A(1)	16,000 (1)	A	\$0	195,740	D	
Common Stock	05/05/2008			M	100,000	A	\$ 23.25	295,740	D	
Common Stock	05/05/2008			F	72,527	D	\$ 43.64	223,213	D	
Common Stock								12,230 (2)	I	Retirement Savings Plan

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. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Securities Code Acquired (A) or (Instr. 8) Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year	7. Title Underly (Instr. 3		
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Stock Appreciation Rights	\$ 42.28	05/02/2008		A	70,000	(-)	05/02/2010(3)	05/02/2018	Comr
Non-Qualified Stock Option	\$ 23.25	05/05/2008		M		100,000	<u>(4)</u>	01/22/2009	Comr Stoo
Non-Qalified Stock Option	\$ 16.38						<u>(4)</u>	04/22/2013	Comr
Non-Qualified Stock Option	\$ 20.3						<u>(4)</u>	04/22/2014	Comr Stoo
Non-Qualified Stock Option	\$ 29.75						<u>(4)</u>	01/21/2015	Comr
Non-Qualified Stock Option	\$ 36.36						01/27/2008(5)	01/27/2016	Comr
Stock Appreciation Rights	\$ 48.05						02/06/2009(6)	02/06/2017	Comr

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
KNUEPPEL HENRY W 200 STATE STREET BELOIT, WI 53511	X		Chairman/CEO				
Signatures							

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**Signature of Date Reporting Person

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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) Restricted Stock Units (RSU's) granted to the reporting person under the 2003 Equity Incentive Plan. RSU's vest 100% on May 2, 2011. Each RSU is equal to one share of common stock and is payable only in stock.
- (2) Balance reflects the most current data available with regard to holdings in the Regal-Beloit Corporation Retirement Savings Plan.
- (3) Granted as stock-settled SAR's under the 2007 Equity Incentive Plan. The SAR's vest and become exercisable 40% on the second anniversary of the date of grant, 60% on third anniversary, 80% on fourth anniversary and 100% on fifth anniversary.
- (4) Fully vested stock options.
- Grant to reporting person of option to buy shares of common stock under the 2003 Equity Incentive Plan. The option vests and becomes exercisable 40% on the second anniversary of the date of grant, 60% on third anniversary, 80% on fourth anniversary and 100% on fifth anniversary.
- (6) Granted as stock-settled SARs under the 2003 Equity Incentive Plan. The SARs vest and become exercisable 40% on the second anniversary of the date of grant, 60% on third anniversary, 80% on fourth anniversary and 100% on fifth anniversary.

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