

KEY DERRICK N
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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 *
KEY DERRICK N

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
ROPER INDUSTRIES INC /DE/ [ROP]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
03/01/2006

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

**7 HIGH PONDS
LANE, COLLETON RIVER
PLANTATION**

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Form filed by One Reporting Person
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BLUFFTON, SC 29910

(City) (State) (Zip)

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	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	03/01/2006		M		4,798	A	\$ 13.31
Common Stock	03/01/2006		M		42,194	A	\$ 16.53
Common Stock	03/01/2006		S		398	D	\$ 45.4
Common Stock	03/01/2006		S		300	D	\$ 45.37
	03/01/2006		S		4,500	D	75,850

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Common Stock						\$ 45.28			
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	9,600	D	\$ 45.23	66,250	D		
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 44.5	66,150	D		
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 45.5	66,050	D		
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 45.4	65,950	D		
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 45.8	65,850	D		
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 45.41	65,750	D		
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 45.52	65,650	D		
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 44.83	65,550	D		
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 45.55	65,450	D		
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 44.66	65,350	D		
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 44.96	65,250	D		
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 45.49	47,430	I <u>(2)</u>		By Key Family Trust
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 44.5	47,330	I <u>(2)</u>		By Key Family Trust
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 45	47,230	I <u>(2)</u>		By Key Family Trust
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 45.5	47,130	I <u>(2)</u>		By Key Family Trust
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 45.4	47,030	I <u>(2)</u>		By Key Family Trust
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 45.8	46,930	I <u>(2)</u>		By Key Family Trust

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Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 45.41	46,830	I <u>(2)</u>	By Key Family Trust
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 44.82	46,730	I <u>(2)</u>	By Key Family Trust
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 45.55	46,630	I <u>(2)</u>	By Key Family Trust
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 44.66	46,530	I <u>(2)</u>	By Key Family Trust
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 45.48	633,500	I <u>(3)</u>	By Key Family Partnership
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 45.38	633,400	I <u>(3)</u>	By Key Family Partnership
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 44.79	633,300	I <u>(3)</u>	By Key Family Partnership
Common Stock	03/01/2006	S	100 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 45.29	633,200	I <u>(3)</u>	By Key Family Partnership

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
Options (right to	\$ 13.31	03/01/2006		M	4,798	11/10/1998 11/09/2007	Common Stock	4,798

buy)										
Options										
(right to	\$ 16.53	03/01/2006		M	42,194	11/11/2000	11/10/2009	Common		42,194
buy								Stock		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
KEY DERRICK N 7 HIGH PONDS LANE COLLETON RIVER PLANTATION BLUFFTON, SC 29910		X		

Signatures

Derrick N. Key, by Paul J. Soni, his attorney-in-fact, pursuant to Power of Attorney dated August 11, 2004. 03/02/2006

__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) Shares sold pursuant to 10b5-1 Plan
- (2) Reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of all such shares.
- (3) Reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

Remarks:

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