

LIEBE ARVID R  
Form 4  
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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 \*  
LIEBE ARVID R

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
Otter Tail Corp [OTTR]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
215 S CASCADE ST  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
04/08/2013

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

FERGUS FALLS, MN 56537-2801  
(City) (State) (Zip)

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

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**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	04/08/2013		M <sup>(1)</sup>		613.4105	A	②
Common Stock	04/08/2013		D		0.4105	D	\$ 25.3929
Common Stock	04/08/2013		M <sup>(3)</sup>		134.4641	A	②
Common Stock	04/08/2013		D		0.4641	D	\$ 27.4503
Common Stock	04/08/2013		M <sup>(1)</sup>		3,464.1149	A	②
Common Stock	04/08/2013		D		0.1149	D	\$ 21.187

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Common Stock									
Common Stock	04/08/2013		M <sup>(3)</sup>	324.3351	A	<u>(2)</u>	22,847.3351	D	
Common Stock	04/08/2013		D	0.3351	D	\$ 24.4919	22,847 <sup>(4)</sup>	D	
Common Stock							4,673.916	I	By IRA's

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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount
Phantom Stock	<u>(5)</u>	04/08/2013		M	(A) 613.4105	04/08/2013	04/08/2013	Common Stock	613.4105
Phantom Stock	<u>(5)</u>	04/08/2013		M	(A) 134.4641	04/08/2013	04/08/2023	Common Stock	1,344.641
Phantom Stock	<u>(5)</u>	04/08/2013		M	(A) 3,464.1149	04/08/2013	04/08/2013	Common Stock	3,464.1149
Phantom Stock	<u>(5)</u>	04/08/2013		M	(A) 324.3351	04/08/2013	04/08/2023	Common Stock	3,243.351

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
LIEBE ARVID R 215 S CASCADE ST FERGUS FALLS, MN 56537-2801		X		

## Signatures

/s/ Arvid R Liebe by Debra J Lill,  
Attorney-in-Fact

04/11/2013

\_\_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) Distribution of Phantom Stock Units due to retirement from the Board of Directors in which he elected a lump sum payout.
- (2) Phantom Stock Units acquired under the 1999 Stock Incentive Plan at fair market value as part of the Compensation Program for outside Directors.
- (3) Distribution of Phantom Stock Units due to retirement from the Board of Directors in which he elected annual installments over a ten year period.
- (4) Total direct holdings include shares acquired from Dividend Reinvestment and pursuant to Restricted Stock Award and Phantom Stock Unit distributions.
- (5) 1 -for -1

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