

COLUMBUS MCKINNON CORP  
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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 \*  
 MYERS ROBERT H

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 COLUMBUS MCKINNON CORP  
 [CMCO]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 140 JOHN JAMES AUDUBON  
 PARKWAY  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
 02/24/2006

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

AMHERST, NY 14228-1197

(City) (State) (Zip)

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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**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					5,696	D	
Common Stock	02/24/2006		M		292	A	\$ 10 5,988
Common Stock	02/24/2006		M		204	A	\$ 10 6,192
Common Stock	02/24/2006		M		200	A	\$ 10 6,392
Common Stock	02/24/2006		M		400	A	\$ 10 6,792

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Common Stock	02/24/2006		M	450	A	\$ 10	7,242	D
Common Stock	02/24/2006		M	800	A	\$ 10	8,042	D
Common Stock	02/24/2006		M	1,547	A	\$ 10	9,589	D
Common Stock	02/24/2006		M	1,082	A	\$ 10	10,671	D
Common Stock	02/24/2006		M	5,450	A	\$ 10	16,121	D
Common Stock	02/24/2006		M	9,650	A	\$ 10	25,771	D
Common Stock	02/24/2006		M	1,112	A	\$ 11.7	26,883	D
Common Stock	02/24/2006		S	14,564	D	\$ 27.5	12,319	D
Common Stock	02/24/2006		S	6,331	D	\$ 27.51	5,988	D
Common Stock	02/24/2006		S	292	D	\$ 27.65	5,696	D
Common Stock							4,792 <sup>(1)</sup>	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)

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. Put or Call (Instr. 3)	
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
						Code	V	(A)	(D)

Incentive Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 20.6	04/01/2003	03/31/2009	Common Stock	1,350
Incentive Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 11.7	11/27/2004	11/26/2010	Common Stock	238
Incentive Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 5.46	(3)	05/16/2014	Common Stock	15,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MYERS ROBERT H 140 JOHN JAMES AUDUBON PARKWAY AMHERST, NY 14228-1197			Vice President	

## Signatures

Robert H. Myers, Jr. 02/28/2006

\*\*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) Reports shares allocated to account of reporting person under the Columbus McKinnon Corporation Employee Stock Ownership Plan, as amended (the "ESOP").
- (2) All exercisable, subject to IRS limitations.
- (3) Originally a 20,000 share stock option, reporting person exercised 5,000 options on 2/23/06. The remaining options are exercisable 33.33% per year, beginning 5/17/2006 for the next three years, subject to IRS limitations.

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