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## FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * LEWIS GARRY R			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol USA TRUCK INC [USAK]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an applicable)		
USA TRUCK INC, 3200 INDUSTRIAL PARK RD			(Month/Day/Year) 09/15/2005	Director 10% Owner Senior VP - Operations		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Che		
VAN BUREN,	AR 72956		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State) (	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative Securities A	cquired, Disposed	of, or Beneficial	lly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquire on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	d 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	(A) or Amount (D) Prior	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	09/15/2005		M	2,600 A \$ 5.4	37,106	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)

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Common Stock	\$ 5.44	09/15/2005		M	2,600	10/11/2002	10/10/2005	Common Stock	2,600

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

LEWIS GARRY R USA TRUCK INC 3200 INDUSTRIAL PARK RD VAN BUREN, AR 72956

Senior VP - Operations

### **Signatures**

Craig S. Shelly, Attorney-in-fact 09/15/2005

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

#### **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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