ROPER INDUSTRIES INC /DE/

Form 4

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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

may continue. See Instruction

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

KEY DERRICK N			Symbol ROPER INDUSTRIES INC /DE/ [ROP]				/DE/	Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 145 RENFREW DRIVE			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/04/2005					X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)			
ATHENS,	(Street) GA 30605			Amendment, Date Original 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 Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tal	ble I - Nor	ı-Derivativ	ve Sec	urities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Benefici	ally Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	e 2A. Deeme Execution I any (Month/Da	Date, if	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securion Dispo (Instr. 3,	sed of		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)	
Common Stock	02/04/2005			S	2,700 (1)	D	\$ 59.1815	158,393.2	I (2)	By Key Family Partnership	
Common Stock								30,028	D		
Common Stock								208,099.8	I (2)	By Key Family Trust	
Common Stock								19,776	I	By 401(k) Plan	
								300	I (2)	By Spouse	

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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)	4. Transac Code (Instr. 8	5. tionNumber of) Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	.	ate	Secur	ant of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	
			Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

KEY DERRICK N 145 RENFREW DRIVE X ATHENS, GA 30605

Signatures

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

> **Signature of Reporting Person Date

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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) Shares sold pursuant to 10b5-1 Plan
- (2) Reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of all such shares.

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