

PERINI CORP

Form 4

August 16, 2005

FORM 4
UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
SHAW CRAIG W

(Last) (First) (Middle)

73 MT WAYTE AVE

(Street)

FRAMINGHAM, MA 01701

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

PERINI CORP [PCR]

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

08/16/2005

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

President, Perini Building Co.

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
____X____ Form filed by One Reporting Person
____ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

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)
Common Stock	08/16/2005		M	45,000 A	\$ 4.5	45,000	D
Common Stock	08/16/2005		S ⁽¹⁾	42,100 D	\$ 17.55	2,900	D
Common Stock	08/16/2005		S ⁽¹⁾	300 D	\$ 17.57	2,600	D
Common Stock	08/16/2005		S ⁽¹⁾	1,400 D	\$ 17.58	1,200	D
Common Stock	08/16/2005		S ⁽¹⁾	1,100 D	\$ 17.59	100	D

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Common Stock 08/16/2005 S⁽¹⁾ 100 D \$ 17.6 0 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)
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 4.5	08/16/2005		M	45,000	03/29/2000 05/24/2010	Common Stock 45,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
SHAW CRAIG W 73 MT WAYTE AVE FRAMINGHAM, MA 01701	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
	President, Perini Building Co.

Signatures

/s/Michael E. Ciskey, Attorney in fact 08/16/2005

__Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) The sale reported in this Form 4 was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on December 17, 2004.

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- (2) Granted an option to purchase 400,000 shares of Common Stock at an exercise price of \$4.50 per share; 33.33% of such shares vested on 3/2000; an additional 33.34% vested on 3/2001 and an additional 33.33% vested on 3/2002.

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