WORTHINGTON INDUSTRIES INC

Form 4

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

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See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading MCCONNELL JOHN P/OH Issuer Symbol **WORTHINGTON INDUSTRIES** (Check all applicable) INC [WOR] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction _X__ Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) WORTHINGTON INDUSTRIES. 10/05/2007 Chairman/Chief Exec Officer INC., 200 OLD WILSON BRIDGE ROAD (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting COLUMBUS, OH 43085 Person (City) (Zip) (State)

(City)	(State)	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securition Dispose (Instr. 3, 4	ed 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 Shares	10/05/2007		M	60,000	A	\$ 18.5625	1,201,489	D	
Common Shares	10/05/2007		S	40,000	D	\$ 24.5912	1,161,489	D	
Common Shares							21,205 (1)	I	Cust Acct/son, J.H. McConnell, II
Common Shares							23,991 (2)	I	Cust Acct/daughter J.R. McConnell
							21,581 <u>(2)</u>	I	

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Common Shares			Cust Acct/son P. W. McConnell
Common Shares	1,914 (2)	I	Cust Acct/son C.R. McConnell
Common Shares	1,807 (2)	I	CustAcct/Luke A. Edmonds by Amy McConnell
Common Shares	255,875	I	Trustee-Margaret McConnell Trust f/b/o Margaret Kollis
Common Shares	118,000	I	Trustee-McConnell Family Trust
Common Shares	14,710 (1)	I	By 401(k) Plan

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 or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) A) d of		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
Employe				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shar
Employee Stock Option (Right to	\$ 18.5625	10/05/2007		M	60,000	11/20/1998(3)	11/19/2007	common shares	60,00

Reporting Owners

Purchase)

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			

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MCCONNELL JOHN P/OH WORTHINGTON INDUSTRIES, INC. 200 OLD WILSON BRIDGE ROAD COLUMBUS, OH 43085

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Chairman/Chief Exec Officer

Signatures

/s/John P. McConnell

10/09/2007

**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) Amount listed is the most up-to-date information available regarding holdings in the Company Plan Fund which invests in Common Shares of the Company.
- (2) The account is enrolled in the Company's dividend reinvestment plan and the amount listed is the most up-to-date information available.
- This option was granted out of the Worthington Industries, Inc. 1997 Long-Term Incentive Plan and vests at 20% per year beginning on
- (3) the first anniversary of the grant date (11/20/1998). Date listed is the first day any portion of the option vested. Additional portions of 20% of the option vested annually on 11/20/99, 11/20/2000, 11/20/2001 and 11/20/2002. This option expires 11/19/2007.

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