

FERRO CORP  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
BAYS JAMES C

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
1000 LAKESIDE AVENUE  
(Street)

CLEVELAND, OH 44114-1147

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
FERRO CORP [FOE]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
04/28/2008

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 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)
				(A) or (D) Code V Amount (D) Price			
Common Stock	04/28/2008		A <sup>(1)</sup>	678 A \$ 0	11,787	D	
Common Stock - Restricted	04/28/2008		D <sup>(1)</sup>	6,000 D \$ 0	36,500	D	
Common Stock - Restricted Shares					7,200	D	
Common Stock					308.84	I	Investment Savings

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 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. Amount or Number of Shares	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Phantom Shares	(2)					(2)	(2)	Common Stock	4,293.553
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 17.26					02/28/2009	02/28/2018	Common Stock	25,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 19.39					02/07/2006	02/07/2015	Common Stock	44,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 20.18					05/16/2001	05/16/2011	Common Stock	11,250
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 20.69					02/16/2007	02/16/2016	Common Stock	22,750
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 21.26					02/29/2004	02/28/2013	Common Stock	35,000
Stock Options	\$ 21.99					02/06/2008	02/06/2017	Common Stock	25,000

(Right to buy)

Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 25.5	02/11/2003	02/11/2012	Common Stock	30,000
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Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 26.26	02/09/2005	02/09/2014	Common Stock	39,000
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## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BAYS JAMES C 1000 LAKESIDE AVENUE CLEVELAND, OH 44114-1147			Vice President	

## Signatures

John T. Bingle, Corporate Treasurer (by power of attorney) 04/30/2008

\_\_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) Restricted shares of common stock granted under the Performance Share Plan. Restrictions expire based upon degree of achievement of performance goal. At the end of the performance period, 50% of shares awarded vest free of restrictions, and 50% of such shares will be exchanged for cash. If the amount awarded is less than 100% of the restricted shares, the balance of such shares are forfeited to the Company.

(2) Represent phantom shares awarded under the Company's Supplemental Defined Contribution Plan for Executive Employees.

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