#### **CURTISS WRIGHT CORP**

Form 4

November 20, 2007

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Linton David J

(First)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

CURTISS WRIGHT CORP [CW]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

below)

(Last)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

11/17/2007

Director

X\_ Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

C/O CURTISS-WRIGHT CORPORATION, 4 BECKER FARM ROAD, 3RD FLOOR

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Vice President

Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

ROSELAND, NJ 07068

(City) (State) (Zip)

(Street)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 1. Title of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

Transaction(s)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Ownership Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A) or

Code V Amount (D) Price

Common 3,936 11/17/2007 A (1) Stock

(Instr. 3 and 4) \$ 54 (2)

21,636.9435 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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exerci Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Y	te	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Option to Purchase Common	\$ 54 (2)	11/17/2007		A	12,136 (4)	11/17/2008	11/17/2017	Common Stock	12,136

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
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Linton David J					
C/O CURTISS-WRIGHT CORPORATION			Vice		
4 BECKER FARM ROAD, 3RD FLOOR			President		
ROSELAND, NJ 07068					

### **Signatures**

Stock

Paul J. Ferdenzi by Power of Attorney for David J.
Linton 11/20/2007

\*\*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) These shares are restricted for a period of three years and are subject to forfeiture if the Officer should leave the employ of the Company.
- (2) Price is based on the closing price as reported by the New York Stock Exchange for the Corporation's Common Stock as of the next business day after the date of the grant.
- (3) There is no cost associated with this option as it is granted through an employee benefit plan. The option has a share value of \$17.51 per share based on the Black-Scholes valuation model.
- (4) Up to 1/3 of the shares covered by the option vest on 11/17/08, vesting increases to 2/3 of such shares on 11/17/09, and increasing to all shares on 11/17/10.

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