

ROPER INDUSTRIES INC /DE/

Form 4

February 21, 2007

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

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1(b).

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Soni Paul J

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
ROPER INDUSTRIES INC /DE/
[ROP]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
2160 SATELLITE BLVD., SUITE
200

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
02/16/2007

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____ Officer (give title ____X____ Other (specify
below) below)
Vice President & Controller

(Street)
DULUTH, GA 30097

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(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)

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)		
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock	02/16/2007		A		6,000	A	\$ 0	17,351	D
Common Stock								2,135 ⁽¹⁾	I
Common Stock								800 ⁽²⁾	I
									By Spouse 401(k) ⁽³⁾

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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(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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 52.19	02/17/2007		A	12,000	02/16/2008 ⁽⁴⁾ 02/15/2017	Common Stock	12,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Soni Paul J 2160 SATELLITE BLVD., SUITE 200 DULUTH, GA 30097			Vice President & Controller	

Signatures

Paul J. Soni by Susan K. Boutelle, his attorney-in-fact, pursuant to Power of Attorney dated March 27, 2006. 02/21/2007

____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) Includes 264 shares acquired in exempt transactions from 5/2/2006 to 2/20/2007 in the 401(k) Plan.
- (2) Includes 4 shares acquired in exempt transactions from 5/2/2006 to 2/20/2007 in the 401(k) Plan.
- (3) Reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of all such shares.
- (4) 4,000 options vest February 16, 2008, 4,000 options vest February 16, 2009, 4,000 options vest February 16, 2010

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