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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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may continue.

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Stroup John S			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BELDEN INC. [BDC]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle)		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
			(Month/Day/Year)	X Director 10% Owner		
7733 FORSYTH BOULEVARD, SUITE 800			02/15/2012	X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chief Executive Officer		
	(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		
ST. LOUIS, MO 63105				Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-I	Derivative	Secur	rities Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y 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. Securi on(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	(A) or	d of (D)	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	02/15/2012		S	200	D	\$ 39.1	208,878	D	
Common Stock	02/15/2012		S	200	D	\$ 39.105	208,678	D	
Common Stock	02/15/2012		S	100	D	\$ 39.115	208,578	D	
Common Stock	02/15/2012		S	200	D	\$ 39.12	208,378	D	
Common Stock	02/15/2012		S	500	D	\$ 39.13	207,878	D	

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Common Stock	02/15/2012	S	800	D	\$ 39.14 20	07,078	D
Common Stock	02/15/2012	S	900	D	\$ 39.16 20	06,178	D
Common Stock	02/15/2012	S	100	D	\$ 39.17 20	06,078	D
Common Stock	02/15/2012	S	800	D	\$ 39.18 20	05,278	D
Common Stock	02/15/2012	S	600	D	\$ 39.19 20	04,678	D
Common Stock	02/15/2012	S	2,100	D	\$ 39.2 20	02,578	D
Common Stock	02/15/2012	S	1,000	D	\$ 39.21 20	01,578	D
Common Stock	02/15/2012	S	400	D	\$ 39.23 20	01,178	D
Common Stock	02/15/2012	S	100	D	\$ 39.24 20	01,078	D
Common Stock	02/15/2012	S	400	D	\$ 39.25 20	00,678	D
Common Stock	02/15/2012	S	700	D	\$ 39.26 19	99,978	D
Common Stock	02/15/2012	S	400	D	\$ 39.275	99,578	D
Common Stock	02/15/2012	S	1,200	D	\$ 39.28 19	98,378	D
Common Stock	02/15/2012	S	800	D	\$ 39.3	97,578	D
Common Stock	02/15/2012	S	1,200	D	\$ 39.31 19	96,378	D
Common Stock	02/15/2012	S	100	D	\$ 39.32 19	96,278	D
Common Stock	02/15/2012	S	200	D	\$ 39.33 19	96,078	D
Common Stock	02/15/2012	S	200	D	\$ 39.335	95,878	D
Common Stock	02/15/2012	S	700	D	\$ 39.34 19	95,178	D
Common Stock	02/15/2012	S	400	D	\$ 39.35 19	94,778	D
	02/15/2012	S	600	D	\$ 39.36 19	94,178	D

Common Stock						
Common Stock	02/15/2012	S	200	D	\$ 39.365 193,978	D
Common Stock	02/15/2012	S	800	D	\$ 39.37 193,178	D
Common Stock	02/15/2012	S	400	D	\$ 39.38 192,778	D
Common Stock	02/15/2012	S	300	D	\$ 39.39 192,478	D

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr.	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Stroup John S						
7733 FORSYTH BOULEVARD, SUITE 800	X		Chief Executive Officer			
ST. LOUIS, MO 63105						

Signatures

/s/ John S.	02/15/2012
Stroup	02/13/2012

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**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).

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