## FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Addre	1 0	Person <sup>*</sup>	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>STRATTEC SECURITY CORP</u> [ STRT ]		ationship of Reporting P ( all applicable) Director	erson(s) to Issuer						
(Last) STRATTEC SE	(First)	ALD J (Middle) TY CORP (OPE ROAD e) (Zip) STRA 3. Date o 10/30/2 4. If Ame	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/30/2003	x	Officer (give title below) VP-Engineering & 1	Other (specify below)						
3333 WEST GOOD HOPE ROAD		AD	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indi Line)	dividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applica							
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		Table I - Non-D	erivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Benef	icially	Owned							

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date,		tion ıstr.	4. Securities Disposed Of and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	10/30/2003		М		4,930	Α	\$43.07	4,930	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	10/30/2003		S		4,930	D	\$53.75	0	D	

#### 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		Number		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Common Stock Option	\$43.07	10/30/2003		М			4,930	08/29/2003	08/29/2005	Common Stock	4,930	\$0	0	D	

#### Explanation of Responses:

# James M. Bedore, Attorney-in-10/31/2003

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\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

\* 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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