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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* CAHILL JOHN G						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol STRATTEC SECURITY CORP [STRT]								Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner						
l	TEC SECU	irst) (3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/22/2004								X	Officer (give title below) President a		below	(specify)				
3333 WI	4. If A	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Inc	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable									
(Street) MILWAUKEE WI 53209															X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(S	tate) ((Zip)																	
		Tab	le I - 1						cquired, I	Dis	posed	of, or l	Benef	icially	/ Own	ed				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)			2. Transac Date (Month/Da		Exec if ar	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (Disposed Of (D) (Instr. and 5)		3, 4 Secu Bene Own			6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
							Code	v	Amoun	t (A	or	rice			(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)				
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share			01/22/2	2004			M		4,50	. 00	A \$45		4,986		D					
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share			01/22/2	2004				S		2,00	00	D	\$67.5		2,986	D				
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share			01/22/2	2004				S		2,50	00	D	\$67.7		486	D				
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share			01/23/2	2004				M		2,65		A \$	45.79		3,139	D				
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share 01/23/2				2004	004			S		2,653 D		D	\$66	486		D ⁽¹⁾				
		Ta	able II						uired, Dis , options	•		-		-	Owned					
Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	if any	emed ion Date, n/Day/Year)	4. Transac Code (II 8)	ction No Instr. of De Se Ac (A Di of		mber vivative curities quired or posed D) str. 3, and 5)	6. Date Exercis Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea			7. Title a Amount Securiti Underly Derivati Security and 4)	of es ing /e	of De Se (In	3. Price of Derivative Security Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership		
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		piration	Title	Amo or Num of Shar	ber						
Common Stock Option	\$45.79	01/22/2004			M			4,500	08/24/2002	08	/24/2004	Commor Stock	4,50	00	\$0	9,613	D			
Common Stock Option	\$45.79	01/23/2004			М			2,653	08/24/2002	08	/24/2004	Commor Stock	2,6	53	\$0	6,960	D			

Explanation of Responses:

1. The reporting person also holds indirectly 11 shares in the issuer's Employee Savings and Investment Plan Trust.

James M. Bedore, Attorney-infact 01/26/2004

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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