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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

may continue.

See Instruction

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * OBERTON WILLARD D			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
			FASTENAL CO [FAST]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction			
2001 THEURER BOULEVARD			(Month/Day/Year) 06/15/2006	_X_ Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) CEO and President		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
WINONA, MN 55987			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zin)				

(City)	(State) (Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acqu	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. 4. Securities Acquire Transaction(A) or Disposed of (I Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)		d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	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	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	06/15/2006		X	2,800	A	\$ 20	257,440 (1) (2) (3)	D	
Common Stock	06/15/2006		S	2,800	D	\$ 39.12	254,640 (1) (2)	D	
Common Stock	06/15/2006		P	2,800	A	\$ 39.12	257,440 (1) (2)	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)

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. Number on Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of	6. Date Exercise Expiration Date (Month/Day/Y	e	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
	Security				(D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)				
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Common Stock	\$ 20	06/15/2006		X	2,800	06/01/2006	11/30/2006	Common Stock	2,800

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
reporting 6 wher runne, runness	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
OBERTON WILLARD D 2001 THEURER BOULEVARD WINONA, MN 55987	X		CEO and President				

Signatures

/s/ John Milek, Attorney-in-Fact 06/19/2006

**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).
- An additional 71600 shares of issuers common stock are owned by the reporting persons spouse. An additional 18,000 shares of issuers common stock are held by the reporting person and the reporting persons spouse as custodians for their children. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of all the shares listed in this footnote.
- (2) The reporting person indirectly owns 52.98 shares of issuers common stock through the issuers 401(k) plan as of March 31, 2006.
- (3) Adjusted to reflect issuers stock split of November 2005.

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