

Roberts John E  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Roberts John E

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
WORTHINGTON INDUSTRIES INC [WOR]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
200 OLD WILSON BRIDGE ROAD  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
07/02/2010

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
President, Dietrich Industries

COLUMBUS, OH 43085

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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(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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |             |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|-------------|
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | (A) or (D)  | Price   |  |                                   |             |
| Common Stock                    | 07/02/2010                           |  | P                              | V   | 1,500 \$ 12.47  | A  | 4,537 <sup>(1)</sup>              | D           |
| Common Stock                    |                                      |  |                                |   |   |  | 2,624 <sup>(2)</sup>              | I By 401(k) |

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. 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 of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |       |                            |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------|----------------------------|
|  |  |                                      |  | Code                           | V (A) (D)   | Date Exercisable   | Expiration Date   | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Purchase)  | \$ 12.05   | 07/02/2010                           |  | A                              | 31,500  | 07/02/2011 <sup>(3)</sup> 07/01/2020                     | common shares   |       | 31,500                     |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                     | Relationships |           |                                |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|--------------------------------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                        | Other |
| Roberts John E<br>200 OLD WILSON BRIDGE ROAD<br>COLUMBUS, OH 43085 |               |           | President, Dietrich Industries |       |

## Signatures

/s/Dale T. Brinkman, as attorney-in-fact for John E. Roberts 07/06/2010

\*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) The account is enrolled in the Company's dividend reinvestment plan and the amount listed is the most up-to-date information available.
- (2) Amount listed is the most up-to-date information available regarding holdings in the Company Plan Fund which invests in Common Shares of the Company.
- (3) This non-qualified stock option was granted under the Worthington Industries, Inc. Amended and Restated 1997 Long-Term Incentive Plan and vests at 20% per year beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date. Date listed is date on which the first 20% portion of the option will vest. Additional portions of 20% of the option vest annually on each of 07/02/2012, 07/02/2013, 07/02/2014, and 07/02/2015.

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