

RHODES HORACE G
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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 *
RHODES HORACE G

(Last) (First) (Middle)

201 ROBERT S. KERR, SUITE 200

(Street)

OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73102

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
LSB INDUSTRIES INC [LXU]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
10/02/2008

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
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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)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	10/02/2008		M	V 15,000 A \$ 1.25	16,000	D	
Common Stock	10/02/2008		G	V 15,000 D \$ 0	1,000	D	
Common Stock	10/02/2008		G	V 15,000 A \$ 0	15,000	I	By Trust ⁽¹⁾
Common Stock					500	I	By Spouse's Trust ⁽²⁾

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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Nonqualified Stock Option (3)	\$ 1.25	10/02/2008		M	15,000	07/08/1999 07/08/2009	Common Stock	15,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
RHODES HORACE G 201 ROBERT S. KERR, SUITE 200 OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73102		X		

Signatures

Horace G. Rhodes 10/02/2008

__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) These shares are held by the reporting person's revocable trust of which the reporting person is the settlor and trustee and possesses a pecuniary interest in the securities held by the Trust.
 - (2) These shares are held by the revocable trust of the reporting person's spouse of which the reporting person's spouse is the settlor and co-trustee and possesses a pecuniary interest in the securities held by the Trust.
- Nonqualified Stock Option (?NQSO?) to purchase shares of Issuer's Common Stock granted pursuant to the Issuer's Outside Directors Stock Option Purchase Plan (the ?1999 Plan?). NQSOs granted under the 1999 Plan may be exercised at any time after six months from the date the NQSO was granted. To the extent not exercised, the NQSO granted under the 1999 Plan terminates (i) upon the tenth anniversary of the date the NQSO was granted, (ii) three years after the cessation of the optionee as a member of the Board of Directors of the Issuer, or (iii) upon the surrender of the Non-Qualified Stock Option Agreement dated July 8, 1999, for cancellation of the NQSO.

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