

SENSIENT TECHNOLOGIES CORP  
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**FORM 4**

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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 \*  
**ROLFS STEPHEN J**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**SENSIENT TECHNOLOGIES CORP [SXT]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
**777 EAST WISCONSIN AVENUE**  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**05/11/2007**

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
**VP, Controller and CAO**

**MILWAUKEE, WI 53202**

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 \_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
				(A) or (D)	Price					
Common Stock	05/11/2007		M <sup>(1)</sup>	V	3,000 <u>(1)</u>	A	\$ 21.125	30,800 <u>(2)</u>	D	
Common Stock	05/11/2007		S		500 <u>(3)</u>	D	\$ 25.55	30,300 <u>(2)</u>	D	
Common Stock	05/11/2007		S		500 <u>(3)</u>	D	\$ 25.56	29,800 <u>(2)</u>	D	
Common Stock	05/11/2007		S		100 <u>(3)</u>	D	\$ 25.57	29,700 <u>(2)</u>	D	
Common Stock	05/11/2007		S		400 <u>(3)</u>	D	\$ 25.58	29,300 <u>(2)</u>	D	

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Common Stock	05/11/2007	S	<u>1,500</u> (3)	D	\$ 25.59	27,800 (2)	D	
Common Stock						2,851.813 (4)	I	ESOP
Common Stock						1,425.153 (5)	I	Savings Plan
Common Stock						662.005 (6)	I	Supplemental Benefit Plan

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)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 18.375					01/31/2001 01/31/2010	Common Stock	7,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 18.54					12/10/2002 12/10/2011	Common Stock	15,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 18.57					12/01/2006 12/01/2015	Common Stock	9,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 19.4					12/08/2004 12/08/2013	Common Stock	8,000
	\$ 22					12/11/2001 12/11/2010		15,000



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- (7) Original option grant vests in three equal annual installments beginning on the date listed.
- (2) Includes shares of restricted stock held under the Issuer's 2002 and 1998 stock option plans.
- (1) Exercise of in-the-money employee stock option that would otherwise expire on 1/26/2008, exempt from Section 16(b) by virtue of Rule 16b-6(b) and Rule 16b-3(d) and (e).

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