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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

to

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*

(First)

(State)

(Middle)

15220

(Zip)

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L.B. FOSTER COMPANY 415 HOLIDAY DRIVE

PITTSBURGH PA

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

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

FOSTER L B CO [FSTR]

11/03/2003

11/04/2003

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		tionship of R all applicabl		on(s) to Issuer	
	Х	Director		10% Owner	
_	X	Officer (giv below)	ve title	Other (specify below)	у
		Presider	nt and Chief	Financial	

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

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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

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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)					5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (notr. 4)
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	11/03/2003		М		200	A	\$3.82	27,016	D	
Common Stock	11/03/2003		S		200	D	\$6.35	26,816	D	
Common Stock								25,636	I	approximate share equivalent to units held in 401(k) trust

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. Transa Code (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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Option to Buy	\$3.82	11/03/2003		м			200	12/15/1993	12/14/2003	Common	200	\$3.82	17,800	D	
Option to Buy	\$3.56							07/22/1994	07/21/2004	Option to Buy	25,000		25,000	D	
Option to Buy	\$5.25							08/13/1998	08/12/2008	Common	25,000		25,000	D	
Option to Buy	\$4.38							10/23/1998	10/22/2008	Common	25,000		25,000	D	
Option to Buy	\$4.44							03/01/2001 ⁽¹⁾	02/28/2010	Common	50,000		50,000	D	
Option to Buy	\$2.75							02/02/2002 ⁽²⁾	02/01/2011	Common	20,000		20,000	D	
Option to Buy	\$3.65							05/09/2002 ⁽³⁾	05/08/2011	Common	30,000		30,000	D	
Option to Buy	\$4.75							12/12/2002 ⁽⁴⁾	12/11/2011	Common	50,000		50,000	D	
Option to Buy	\$5.5							05/15/2002 ⁽⁵⁾	05/14/2012	Common	20,000		20,000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. 25% becomes exercisable on 3/1/01 and an additional 25% becomes vested on each of the next three anniversaries

 $2.\,25\%\ becomes\ exercisable\ on\ 2/2/02\ and\ an\ additional\ 25\%\ becomes\ vested\ on\ each\ of\ the\ next\ three\ anniversaries$

3.25% becomes exercisable on 5/9/02 and an additional 25% becomes vested on each of the next three anniversaries.

 $4.\ 25\%\ becomes\ exercisable\ on\ 12/12/02\ and\ an\ additional\ 25\%\ becomes\ vested\ on\ each\ of\ the\ next\ three\ anniversaries.$

5.25% becomes exercisable on 5/15/03 and an additional 25% becomes vested on each of the next three anniversaries.

Remarks:

Stan L. Hasselbusch

01/28/2004

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

* 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).

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