FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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<b>STATEMENT</b>	OF CHANGES	S IN BENEFICIA	L OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Nepoliting Ferson			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol FOSTER L B CO [ FSTR ]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner
(Last) 415 HOLIDAY	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/08/2005	X Officer (give title Other (specify below)  Sr. V.P.
(Street) PITTSBURGH (City)	PA (State)	15220 (Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	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-De	rivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Ben	eficially Owned

Table 1 Non Delinative desarrates required, Disposed of, or Delination, Office											
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transa Code ( 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	11/08/2005		M		2,000	A	\$8.01	2,000	D		
Common Stock	11/08/2005		S		1,000	D	\$13.25	1,000	D		
Common Stock	11/08/2005		S		1,000	D	\$13.255	0	D		
Common Stock	11/09/2005		A		2,623	A	\$8.01	2,623	D		
Common Stock	11/09/2005		M		2,623	D	\$13.25	0	D		
Common Stock	11/10/2005		A		50	A	\$8.01	50	D		
Common Stock	11/10/2005		M		50	D	\$13.3	0	D		

## Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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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)		of		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	\$8.01	11/08/2005		M			2,000	10/21/2004 <sup>(1)</sup>	10/20/2014	Common Stock	2,000	(4)	23,000	D	
Option to Buy	\$9.3							06/13/2006 <sup>(2)</sup>	12/12/2014	Common	15,000		15,000	D	
Option to Buy	\$9.29							02/16/2005 <sup>(3)</sup>	02/15/2015	Common	10,000		10,000	D	
Option to Buy	\$8.01	11/09/2005		M			2,623	10/21/2004 <sup>(1)</sup>	10/20/2014	Common	2,623	(4)	20,377	D	
Option to Buy	\$8.01	11/10/2005		М			50	10/21/2004 <sup>(1)</sup>	10/20/2014	Common	50	(4)	20,327	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. 25% becomes exercisable on 10/21/05 and an additional 25% becomes exercisable on each of the next three anniversaries.
- 2. 25% becomes exercisable on 6/13/06 and an additional 25% becomes exercisable on each of the next three anniversaries.
- 3. 25% becomes exercisable on 2/16/06 and an additional 25% becomes exercisable on each of the next three anniversaries.
- 4. Intentionally left blank

## Remarks:

Donald L. Foster

11/10/2005

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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