COOPER TIRE & RUBBER CO

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * POND BYRON O

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

COOPER TIRE & RUBBER CO

(Check all applicable)

[CTB]

(Middle)

(Zip)

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

X_ Director Officer (give title below)

10% Owner Other (specify

COOPER TIRE & RUBBER COMPANY, 701 LIMA AVE.

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

12/29/2006

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Person

FINDLAY, OH 45840

(City)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

(State)

3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Ownership Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A) or Price Code V Amount (D)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Common (1) $A^{(2)}$ 12/21/2006 455 Shares

35,611.66

D

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)

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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title and A	Amount of	8. Price
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	onof	Expiration D		Underlying S		Derivativ
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Derivative	(Month/Day/	(Year)	(Instr. 3 and	4)	Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Securities					(Instr. 5)
	Derivative				Acquired					
	Security				(A) or					
					Disposed					
					of (D)					
					(Instr. 3, 4,					
					and 5)					
									Amount	
						_			or	
						Date	Expiration	Title	Number	
						Exercisable	Date		of	
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares	
Phantom Stock	\$ 0 (3)	12/29/2006	<u>(1)</u>	A	213	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	213	\$ 14.3

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
POND BYRON O COOPER TIRE & RUBBER COMPANY 701 LIMA AVE. FINDLAY, OH 45840	X					

Signatures

/s/ James E. Kline, Attorney-in-fact for Byron O. Pond 01/04/2006

**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 deemed execution date is not applicable to this transaction.
- (2) These are dividends on RSUs previously granted
- (3) One-for-one

The phantom stock units were accrued under the Cooper Tire & Rubber Company 1998 Non-Employee Directors Compensation Deferral

(4) Plan and are to be settled in Common Stock of the Company or cash upon the reporting person's termination of service as a director, unless otherwise elected.

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