

CATERPILLAR INC

Form 4

February 08, 2005

FORM 4
UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Williams Robert T

(Last) (First) (Middle)

901 W. WASHINGTON, CV4110

(Street)

EAST PEORIA, IL 61630

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
CATERPILLAR INC [CAT]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
02/07/2005

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

Vice President

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

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)		
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		
Common	02/07/2005		M		3,316	A	\$ 30.1562	20,608	D
Common	02/07/2005		F		1,090	D	\$ 91.715	19,518	D
Common	02/07/2005		M		2,984	A	\$ 30.1562	22,502	D
Common	02/07/2005		F		1,610	D	\$ 91.715	20,892	D
Common	02/07/2005		G		200	D	\$ 0	20,692 ⁽¹⁾	D
Common								200	I

Owned by
Son ⁽²⁾

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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
Employee Stock Option ⁽³⁾	\$ 30.1562	02/07/2005		M	3,316	⁽⁴⁾ 06/06/2005	Common	3,316
Employee Stock Option ⁽³⁾	\$ 30.1562	02/07/2005		M	2,984	⁽⁴⁾ 06/06/2005	Common	2,984

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Williams Robert T 901 W. WASHINGTON, CV4110 EAST PEORIA, IL 61630			Vice President	

Signatures

Robert T. Williams; L.J.
Huxtable, POA

02/08/2005

**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) This amount includes 7444 shares in 401K and 675 shares in dividend reinvestment.

(2) Reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership.

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(3) (Right to Buy) with tandem tax withholding rights.

(4) Exercisable in thirds - 1/3 after 1 yr.; 1/3 after 2 yrs.; 1/3 after 3 yrs.

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