

GOODYEAR TIRE & RUBBER CO /OH/
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 *
de Bok Arthur

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
GOODYEAR TIRE & RUBBER CO /OH/ [GT]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
12/21/2007

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
President, EU Business

THE GOODYEAR TIRE AND RUBBER COMPANY, 1144 EAST MARKET STREET

(Street)

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

AKRON, OH 44316-0001

(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) | | | 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 Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|---|--------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------|-------|
| | | | | Code | V | Amount | | | | (A) or (D) | Price |
| Common Stock | 12/21/2007 | | M | | | 4,000 | A | \$ 6.81 | 5,000 | D | |
| Common Stock | 12/21/2007 | | D | | | 4,000 | D | \$ 28.37 | 1,000 | D | |
| Common Stock | 12/21/2007 | | P | | | 2,000 | A | \$ 28.2 | 3,000 | 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)

| 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 |
|--------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 2002 Plan Tandem SARs ⁽¹⁾ | \$ 6.81 | 12/21/2007 | | M | 4,000 | ⁽²⁾ 12/02/2013 | Common Stock | 4,000 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| de Bok Arthur THE GOODYEAR TIRE AND RUBBER COMPANY 1144 EAST MARKET STREET AKRON, OH 44316-0001 | | | President, EU Business | |

Signatures

/s/ Bertram Bell, signing as an attorney-in-fact and agent duly authorized to execute this Form 4 on behalf of Arthur de Bok pursuant to a Power of Attorney dated 09/21/05, a copy of which has been previously filed with the SEC.

12/21/2007

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) Exercise of SARs granted on 12/2/2003, under the Company's 2002 Performance Plan.

(2) The SARs vest and become exercisable in 25% increments over four years commencing one year after the date of grant.

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