

PATERSON DAVID J
 Form 4
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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND
 EXCHANGE COMMISSION
 Washington, DC 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN
 BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol		6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)	
Paterson, David J.			GEORGIA-PACIFIC CORPORATION (GP)		<input type="checkbox"/> Director <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (specify title below) Executive Vice President - Pulp & Paperboard	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (Voluntary)	4. Statement for Month/Day/Year	7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)	
133 Peachtree Street, N.E.				1/31/03		
(Street)			5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
Atlanta, Georgia 30303						
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I --Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)			2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	3. Transaction Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. An Owner of Securities Beneficially Owned or Controlled
						7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership

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	(Month/ Day/ Year)	(Month/ Day/ Year)	Code	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)
Georgia-Pacific Common Stock						8,335.000 (1)(2)	D	
Georgia-Pacific Common Stock						14,917.777	I	through G-P 401(k) (3)

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

FORM 4 (continued)	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. 3)	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)
							Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	

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EMPLOYEE STOCK OPTION (right to buy GP) -- 1997 SVIP	\$26.420						(4)	02/02/07	Georgia-Pacific Common Stock	6,00
EMPLOYEE STOCK OPTION (right to buy GP) -- 1998 LTIP	\$28.205						(5)	01/28/08	Georgia-Pacific Common Stock	8,31
EMPLOYEE STOCK OPTION (right to buy GP) -- 1999 LTIP	\$32.170						(6)	01/27/09	Georgia-Pacific Common Stock	10,40
EMPLOYEE STOCK OPTION (right to buy GP) -- 2000 LTIP	\$41.590						(7)	01/20/10	Georgia-Pacific Common Stock	8,70
EMPLOYEE STOCK OPTION (right to buy GP) -- 2001 LTIP	\$29.470						(8)	01/28/11	Georgia-Pacific Common Stock	21,30
EMPLOYEE STOCK OPTION (right to buy GP) -- 2002 LTIP	\$24.440						01/31/03 (9)	01/30/12	Georgia-Pacific Common Stock	61,65
STOCK APPRECIATION RIGHT - 2003	\$15.220	01/31/03		A	124,650.000		01/31/04	01/30/13	Georgia-Pacific Common Stock	124,65

Explanation of Responses:

See continuation page(s) for footnotes.

** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations.
See

18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

/s/ David J. Paterson

**Signature of Reporting Person

DAVID J. PATERSON

February 4, 2003

Date

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Georgia-Pacific Corporation
(GP)
January 31, 2003

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- (1) Includes award of shares pursuant to performance rights granted under the Georgia-Pacific Corporation/Georgia-Pacific Group 1997 Long Term Incentive Plan.
- (2) Includes 271 shares acquired under the Georgia-Pacific Corporation 2001-2002 Employee Stock Purchase Plan in June 2002.
- (3) Through the Georgia-Pacific Corporation Salaried 401(k) Plan. Information is as of January 31, 2003.
- (4) Under the terms of the Georgia-Pacific Corporation 1995 Shareholder Value Incentive Plan, these options vested effective 02/03/00.
- (5) Under the terms of the Georgia-Pacific Corporation/Georgia-Pacific Group 1997 Long Term Incentive Plan, granted options vest in three annual installments beginning January 29, 1999, and may be exercised (to the extent vested) beginning on such vesting date and continuing to January 28, 2008.
- (6) Under the terms of the Georgia-Pacific Corporation/Georgia-Pacific Group 1997 Long Term Incentive Plan, granted options vest in three annual installments beginning January 28, 2000, and may be exercised (to the extent vested) beginning on such vesting date and continuing to January 27, 2009.
- (7) Under the terms of the Georgia-Pacific Corporation/Georgia-Pacific Group 1997 Long Term Incentive Plan, granted options vest in three annual installments beginning January 21, 2001, and may be exercised (to the extent vested) beginning on such vesting date and continuing to January 20, 2010.
- (8) Under the terms of the Georgia-Pacific Corporation/Georgia-Pacific Group 1997 Long Term Incentive Plan, granted options vest in three annual installments beginning January 29, 2002, and may be exercised (to the extent vested) beginning on such vesting date and continuing to January 28, 2011.
- (9) Under the terms of the Georgia-Pacific Corporation/Georgia-Pacific Group 1997 Long

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Term Incentive Plan, granted options vest in three annual installments beginning January 31, 2003, and may be exercised (to the extent vested) beginning on such vesting date and continuing to January 30, 2012.