

NUCOR CORP  
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**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 \*  
HLAVACEK JAMES D

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
2100 REXFORD ROAD  
(Street)  
CHARLOTTE, NC 28211-

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
NUCOR CORP [NUE]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
03/01/2005

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock					2,200 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	
Common Stock					400 <sup>(2)</sup>	I	By Daughter (Ursala)

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. P. Der Sec (Ins	
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
						Code	V	(A)	(D)
Stock Option	\$ 32.395					03/01/2004	02/28/2011	Common Stock	1,882
Stock Option	\$ 39.365					03/01/2005	08/31/2011	Common Stock	1,548
Stock Option	\$ 61.46	03/01/2005	03/01/2005	A	974	09/01/2005	02/29/2012	Common Stock	974

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HLAVACEK JAMES D 2100 REXFORD ROAD CHARLOTTE, NC 28211-	X			

## Signatures

Kelly J. Wilmoth -  
Attorney-in-fact

03/02/2005

\*\*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).

(2) On October 15, 2004, the common stock of Nucor Corporation split 2-for-1, resulting in 200 additional shares.

(3) The number of shares subject to and the exercise price per share of this option have been adjusted to reflect the 2-for-1 stock split on October 15, 2004.

(1) On October 15, 2004, the common stock of Nucor Corporation split 2-for-1, resulting in 1,100 additional shares.

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