

LSI INDUSTRIES INC  
Form 4  
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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 \*  
STOWELL RONALD S

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O LSI INDUSTRIES INC., 10000 ALLIANCE ROAD

(Street)

CINCINNATI, OH 45242

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
LSI INDUSTRIES INC [LYTS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
09/25/2008

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)  
VP, CFO and Treasurer

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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | (A) or (D)<br>Code V Amount (D) Price                             |   |  |                                   |
| Common Shares                   |                                      |  |                                |   | 16,356  | D  |                                   |
| Common Shares                   | 09/25/2008                           |  | A                              | 115 A \$ 9.21   | 31,430 <sup>(1)</sup>   | 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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--|
| Option to Buy                              | \$ 11.68   |                                      |  |                                |   | (3) 11/14/2011   | Common Shares   | 18,750                                     |
| Option to Buy                              | \$ 9.96  |                                      |  |                                |   | (2) 10/27/2014   | Common Shares   | 25,000                                     |
| Option to Buy                              | \$ 17.6  |                                      |  |                                |   | (4) 08/24/2016   | Common Shares   | 20,000                                     |
| Option to Buy                              | \$ 19.76   |                                      |  |                                |   | (5) 08/24/2017   | Common Shares   | 25,000                                     |
| Option to Buy                              | \$ 8.98  |                                      |  |                                |   | (6) 08/22/2018   | Common Shares   | 30,000                                     |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |                       |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|-----------------------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer               | Other |
| STOWELL RONALD S<br>C/O LSI INDUSTRIES INC.<br>10000 ALLIANCE ROAD<br>CINCINNATI, OH 45242 |               |           | VP, CFO and Treasurer |       |

## Signatures

Ronald S. Stowell 09/26/2008

\*\*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) Common Shares held in the LSI Industries Inc. Non-Qualified Deferred Compensation Plan.

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- (2) Options granted vest on the anniversary of the grant date, 9.2% in 2005, 40% in 2007 and 10.8% in 2008.
- (3) Options are exercisable at a rate of 10% beginning on the 1st grant date anniversary, 28% on the 2nd anniversary date, 27% on the 3rd anniversary date, and 35% on the 4th anniversary date, cumulative to the extent not exercised in a prior year.
- (4) The options vest in equal annual amounts of 25% per year beginning on August 24, 2007.
- (5) The options vest in equal annual amounts of 25% per year beginning on August 24, 2008.
- (6) The options vest in equal annual amounts of 25% per year beginning on August 22, 2009.

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