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FORM 4

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

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

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Giesige Charles R

(Last) (First) (Middle)

140 JOHN JAMES AUDUBON **PARKWAY**

(Street)

(State)

05/17/2010

AMHERST, NY 14228

(City)

Common

Common

Stock

Stock

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

COLUMBUS MCKINNON CORP [CMCO]

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

05/17/2010

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

Issuer

below)

Director

X_ Officer (give title

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

VP Rigging Products Americas

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

below)

10% Owner Other (specify

Estimated average

burden hours per

Code V Amount (D) Price $4,828 \frac{(1)}{2}$ D

(A)

or

3,298 \$0 D A 8,126 (2)

Common 327 (3) D Stock

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 proof 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 Amour Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Sh
Non-Qualified Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 28.45					05/19/2009	05/18/2018	Common Stock	52
Incentive Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 19.15					01/19/2010	07/31/2016	Common Stock	10,0
Non-Qualified Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 13.27					05/18/2010	05/17/2019	Common Stock	8,5
Non-Qualified Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 18.24	05/17/2010		A	6,264	<u>(7)</u>	05/16/2020	Common Stock	6,2

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Giesige Charles R 140 JOHN JAMES AUDUBON PARKWAY AMHERST, NY 14228

VP Rigging Products Americas

Signatures

Charles R. 05/19/2010 Giesige

**Signature of Date Reporting Person

Reporting Owners 2

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).
- Includes 3,690 shares of restricted stock issued to reporting person under the Columbus McKinnon Corporation 2006 Long Term Incentive Plan dated as of May 4, 2006, subject to forfeiture in whole or part; 3,412 shares become fully vested and non-forfeitable
- (1) 33.33% for three years beginning 5/18/2011 and the remaining 278 shares become fully vested and non-forfeitable 33.33% per year for three years beginning 5/19/2011, if reporting person remains an employee of issuer.
- Represents restricted stock units issued to reporting person under the Columbus McKinnon Corporation 2006 Long Term Incentive Plan (2) dated as of May 4, 2006, subject to forfeiture in whole or part; units become fully vested and non-forfeitable 25% per year for four years beginning 5/17/2011, if reporting person remains a director of issuer.
- (3) Reports shares allocated to account of reporting person under the Columbus McKinnon Corporation Employee Stock Ownership Plan, as amended (the "ESOP").
- (4) Exercisable 25% per year for four years beginning 5/19/2009, if reporting person remains an employee of issuer.
- (5) Exercisable 75% on 1/19/2010 and 25% on 7/31/2010, if reporting person remains an employee of issuer.
- (6) Exercisable 25% per year for four years beginning 5/18/2010, if reporting person remains an employee of issuer.
- Represents non-qualified stock options issued to reporting person under the Columbus McKinnon Corporation 2006 Long Term Incentive (7) Plan dated as of May 4, 2006; options become exercisable 25% per year for four years beginning 5/17/2011, if reporting person remains an employee of issuer.

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