

BAYS JAMES C  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
BAYS JAMES C

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
1000 LAKESIDE AVENUE  
(Street)

CLEVELAND, OH 44114-1147

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
FERRO CORP [FOE]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
04/26/2007

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)  
Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	04/26/2007		A <sup>(1)</sup>	1,172 A \$ 21.25	11,109	D	
Common Stock - Restricted	04/26/2007		D <sup>(1)</sup>	7,000 D \$ 21.25	37,750	D	
Common Stock - Supp Exec Defined					2,520.5731	D	
Common Stock					299.815	I	Investment Savings

Plan

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 or Value of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 19.39					02/07/2006	02/07/2015	Common Stock	44,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 20.18					05/16/2001	05/16/2011	Common Stock	11,250
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 20.69					02/16/2007	02/16/2016	Common Stock	22,750
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 21.26					02/29/2004	02/28/2013	Common Stock	35,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 21.99					02/06/2008	02/06/2017	Common Stock	25,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 25.5					02/11/2003	02/11/2012	Common Stock	30,000

buy)

Stock

Options (Right to buy) \$ 26.26

02/09/2005 02/09/2014 Common Stock 39,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BAYS JAMES C 1000 LAKESIDE AVENUE CLEVELAND, OH 44114-1147			Vice President	

## Signatures

James C Bays 04/30/2007

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).
  - \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- Restricted shares of common stock granted as a Special Retention and Performance Award. Restrictions expire based upon degree of achievement of performance goal. At the end of the performance period, 50% of award is paid in shares free of restrictions, and 50% is paid in cash. If the amount awarded is less than 100% of the restricted shares, the balance is forfeited to the Company.

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