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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person SPIEGEL BRADLEY A	n * 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last) (First) (Middle	IDEX CORP /DE/ [IEX] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
630 DUNDEE ROAD, SUITE 40	(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specification) below)		
		VP-Group Exec/Comm Excellence		
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
NORTHBROOK, IL 60062	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporti Person		
(City) (State) (Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities A	cquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Own		

(City)	(State) (Zij	Table I	- Non-Der	ivative Secu	urities Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3.		es Acquired	5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership	7. Nature of Indirect
Security (Instr. 3)	(Month/Day/Year)	any	Code	on(A) or Disp (D)	posed of	Beneficially	Form: Direct	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4	and 5)	Owned Following	(D) or Indirect (I)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
					(A)	Reported	(Instr. 4)	, , ,
			Code V	Amount	or (D) Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
COMMON STOCK	04/08/2008		A		A \$0	53,801	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)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or 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 Am Underlying Sec (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title
OPTIONS (RIGHT TO BUY)	\$ 32.95	04/08/2008		A	20,000	04/08/2009(1) 04/08/2018(1)	COMMON STOCK

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
SPIEGEL BRADLEY A 630 DUNDEE ROAD SUITE 400 NORTHBROOK, IL 60062			VP-Group Exec/Comm Excellence				

Signatures

BRADLEY A.
SPIEGEL

**Signature of Reporting 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) THE OPTION GRANT VESTS IN FOUR EQUAL INSTALLMENTS BEGINNING ON APRIL 8, 2009.

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