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## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * KOOMAN CLINTON L			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol IDEX CORP /DE/ [IEX]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an applicable)		
C/O IDEX CORP, 630 DUNDEE ROAD			(Month/Day/Year) 02/04/2005	Director 10% Owner _X Officer (give title Other (specify below)  Vice President - Controller		
(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 Reporting Person		

(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	I - Non-Do	erivative S	Securi	ties Acquire	ed, Disposed of, o	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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi or Dispo (Instr. 3,	sed of 4 and	` '	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
COMMON STOCK	02/04/2005		M	7,500	A	\$ 23.25	120,837	D	
COMMON STOCK	02/04/2005		S	7,500	D	\$ 39.5021	113,337	D	
COMMON STOCK	02/07/2005		M	7,500	A	\$ 23.25	113,337	D	
COMMON STOCK	02/07/2005		S	7,500	D	\$ 39.5041	105,837	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 tion 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)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
OPTIONS (RIGHT TO BUY)	\$ 23.25	02/04/2005		M		7,500	03/24/2003	03/24/2008	COMMON STOCK	7,500
OPTIONS (RIGHT TO BUY)	\$ 23.25	02/07/2005		M		7,500	03/24/2003	03/24/2008	COMMON STOCK	7,500

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

KOOMAN CLINTON L C/O IDEX CORP 630 DUNDEE ROAD NORTHBROOK, IL 60062

Vice President - Controller

# **Signatures**

CLINTON L. 02/08/2005 KOOMAN

\*\*Signature of Reporting Date
Person

#### **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) ON MAY 28, 2004, THE COMMON STOCK OF IDEX CORPORATION SPLIT 3 FOR 2, RESULTING IN THE REPORTING PERSON'S ACQUISITION OF 40,650 ADDITIONAL OPTIONS.

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

Reporting Owners 2

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