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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).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * HERMANCE FRANK S			Symbol	•				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
<i>a</i>	(F' 1)	05111	IDEX CO					(Chec	k all applicable)	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle	e) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction								
			` .	(Month/Day/Year)				_X_ Director		Owner	
			02/20/200	8				Officer (give below)	below)	r (specify	
	(Street)		4. If Amenda	4. If Amendment, Date Original				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			Filed(Month/	Filed(Month/Day/Year)					Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I	- Non-Der	ivative Se	curiti	es Acqı	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)			A. Deemed execution Date, if ny Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A))	Beneficially (D) or Beneficially Owned Indirect (I) Owned		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
COMMON	02/20/2008			A	675	A	\$0	2,701 (1)	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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number conf Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	and 5)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun or Numbe of Shares
OPTIONS (RIGHT TO BUY)	\$ 30.85	02/20/2008		A	2,250	02/20/2009	02/20/2018	COMMON STOCK	2,250

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
HERMANCE FRANK S							
	X						

Signatures

FRANK S.
HERMANCE 02/22/2008

**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) ON MAY 21, 2007, THE COMPANY STOCK OF IDEX CORPORATION SPLIT 3 FOR 2, RESULTING IN THE REPORTING PERSON'S ACQUISITION OF 676 ADDITIONAL SHARES OF COMMON STOCK AND 12,938 ADDITIONAL OPTIONS.

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