CHICAGO BRIDGE & IRON CO N V

Form 4

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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 *

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

RHODES TOMMY C

CHICAGO BRIDGE & IRON CO N

(Check all applicable)

V [CBI]

(Last) (First) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

(Month/Day/Year)

10/18/2004

below)

2103 RESEARCH FOREST DRIVE

(Middle)

Corporate Controller 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Instr. 8)

Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

THE WOODLANDS, TX 77380

(Street)

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I)

Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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

Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if any

4. 5. TransactionNumber Code of

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of 8. **Underlying Securities** D (Instr. 3 and 4) Se

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)				,
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Call Option (Obligation to Sell)	\$ 30	10/18/2004	08/17/2004	E	2	08/17/2004	10/16/2004	Common Stock	200

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
- J	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
RHODES TOMMY C			Corporate			
2103 RESEARCH FOREST DRIVE THE WOODLANDS TX 77380			Controller			

Signatures

Thomas C.
Rhodes

**Signature of Reporting Person

Thomas C.

10/19/2004

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).

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