

CSS INDUSTRIES INC

Form 4

March 17, 2005

**FORM 4****UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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Section 16.  
Form 4 or  
Form 5  
obligations  
may continue.  
See Instruction  
1(b).

**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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**FARBER JACK**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3056 MIRO DRIVE NORTH

(Street)

PALM BEACH  
GARDENS, FL 33410

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
**CSS INDUSTRIES INC [CSS]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
03/16/2005

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) Chairman

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 (\$10 par value)	03/16/2005 <sup>(1)</sup>		S		200 <sup>(1)</sup>	D \$ 33.68	126,710 D
Common Stock (\$10 par value)	03/16/2005 <sup>(1)</sup>		S		2,200 <sup>(1)</sup>	D \$ 33.65	124,510 D
Common Stock (\$10 par value)	03/16/2005 <sup>(2)</sup>		D		77,920 <sup>(2)</sup>	D \$ 35	80,383 I By Trust FBO David M. Farber

value)

Common  
Stock  
(\$ .10 par  
value)

42,675 I

By Trust  
FBO Leigh  
Ann  
KurtzmanCommon  
Stock  
(\$ .10 par  
value)

40,800 I

By Trust  
FBO  
Robert  
Blake  
Kurtzman

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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(9-02)**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 of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Report Transaction (Instr. 6)
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Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Code	V	(A)	(D)

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
FARBER JACK 3056 MIRO DRIVE NORTH PALM BEACH GARDENS, FL 33410	X		Chairman	

## Signatures

Michael A. Santivaschi, Attorney in Fact	03/17/2005
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\*\*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).

(1) (1) This sale was made pursuant to a plan intended to comply with Rule 10b5-1(c) previously adopted on August 23, 2004.

(2) A trust for the benefit of David M. Farber, as to which the reporting person is a co-trustee, sold these shares of common stock to the issuer in a tender offer. The sale was made pursuant to a pre-approval by the issuer's Board of Directors in accordance with Rule 16b-3(e).

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