Biegacki Steven Form 4 February 24, 2010

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Adda Biegacki Steve	^	ting Person *	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol BELDEN INC. [BDC]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
7733 FORSYT 800	TH BLVD.	, SUITE	(Month/Day/Year) 02/22/2010	Director 10% Owner SVP, Global Sales & Mktg.		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
ST. LOUIS, M	O 63105			Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)		· ID· I · D · · · II · O		

(City)	(State) (2	Table	I - Non-De	erivative S	ecuri	ties Ac	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. Transactio	4. Securi		r	5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 3)	( , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	any	Code	Disposed	` ′		Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Owned Indirect (I) Following (Instr. 4) Reported		Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					(A) or		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(111011110 1110 1)		
Common Stock	02/22/2010		A	8,250 (1)	A	\$0	16,460	D	
Common Stock	02/22/2010		A	9,578 (2)	A	\$0	26,038	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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amoun Underlying Securiti (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amor or Numl of Sh
Stock Appreciation Rights (3)	\$ 21.7	02/22/2010		A	21,189	02/22/2011	02/22/2020	Common Stock	21,1

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Biegacki Steven 7733 FORSYTH BLVD., SUITE 800 ST. LOUIS, MO 63105

SVP, Global Sales & Mktg.

### **Signatures**

/s/ Steven
Biegacki
02/24/2010

\*\*Signature of Date
Reporting 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).
- RSUs awarded pursuant to the fulfillment of Performance share units awarded on February 24, 2009. RSUs will vest in equal amounts over a two-year period beginning in 2011, and upon vesting, will be payable in Company stock (each RSU representing one share of Company stock). Additional terms apply in the event of the holder's termination, death, disability or retirement.
- Represents a three-year grant of restricted stock awards (RSUs) granted by the Company's Compensation Committee on February 22, 2010. If the performance criteria of the RSUs are met, 50% of the RSUs will vest on February 22, 2013, 25% of the RSUs will vest on February 22, 2014 and 25% will vest on February 22, 2015. Additional terms apply in the event of the holder's termination, death, disability or retirement.
- The Stock Appreciation Rights (SARs) were issued at the closing price of the Company's stock on February 22, 2010 (\$21.70). They will vest in equal amounts over three years and will expire ten years after the grant date. Upon exercise, the holder will receive in Belden stock the excess of fair market value per share at the time of exercise over the exercise price, times the number of SARs being exercised. Additional terms apply in the event of the holder's termination, death, disability or retirement.

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