FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  GROJEAN THOMAS F				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol STEPAN CO [ SCL ]					(Che	Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     X Director 10% Owner						
(Last) 22 W. FRO	(First	`	iddle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/03/2007							_	(give title		Other (s below)		
(Street) NORTHFIE (City)	ELD IL		093	4. If A	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						Line	dividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable )  K Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
		Table	I - Non-Deri	/ative	Secu	ırities	s Acq	uired, Di	sposed o	f, or Ber	neficially	y Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D			Execution Date,		3. Transactio Code (Inst 8)				5. Amour Securitie Beneficia Owned F Reported	s ally ollowing	Form	: Direct   I Indirect   I str. 4)   (	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
							Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transacti (Instr. 3 a	ion(s)			Instr. 4)	
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	Date Exe (Month/Day/Year) if ar	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		n of I		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	e S Illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Directors Deferred Compensation Plan	\$31.67	01/03/2007		J		119		08/08/1988	08/08/1988	Common Stock	119	\$31.67	18,588	8	D	

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

Kathleen M. Owens, by Power

of Attorney for Thomas F.

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\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

01/03/2007

Date

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

- \* 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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