#### COOPER COMPANIES INC

Form 4

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1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* KALKSTEIN MICHAEL

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

COOPER COMPANIES INC [COO]

(Check all applicable)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X\_ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

6140 STONERIDGE MALL DRIVE, SUITE 590

(Street)

(First)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Instr. 8)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Month/Day/Year)

11/03/2008

Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

PLEASANTON, CA 94588

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

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

Following

(I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A) or Code V Amount (D) Price

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

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. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities

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

7. Title and Amoun Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.	8)	Acquired or Dispose (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	ed of				
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Sh
Non-employee Director Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 17.09	11/03/2008		A		10,000		<u>(1)</u>	11/02/2018	Common Stock	10,0

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

KALKSTEIN MICHAEL
6140 STONERIDGE MALL DRIVE
SUITE 590
PLEASANTON, CA 94588

## **Signatures**

/s/ Michael H. 11/04/2008 Kalkstein

\*\*Signature of Reporting Date
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).
- (1) NED Grant Date 11/3/08 Date Exer.: Vests when the average of the closing prices during any 30 consecutive trading days after the date of grant reaches \$18.80 or on November 3, 2013, which ever is earliest.

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