**CATERPILLAR INC** 

Form 4

January 13, 2003

## FORM 4

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

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Ac Thompson Ric			ne <b>and</b> Ticl	ker or T	Frading (	Symbol	6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
(Last)	of Reporting Person,					atement for th/Day/Year 3/03	10 <sup>4</sup> <b>X</b> (Otl	Director					
										<u>Group</u> President			
Peoria, IL 6162						5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)		7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City	Table I Non-Derivative					Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owne							
1. Title of 2. Trans- 2A. Deemed Security action Execution (Instr. 3) Date Date,		3. Trans- action Code (A) or Disposed of (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 & 5)					5. Amount of Securities Beneficially		6. Owner- ship Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial			
	(Month/ Day/ Year)	if any (Month/Day/ Year)	Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	11100	Owned Following Reported Transactions(s) (Instr. 3 & 4)		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common	01/13/03		F	V	1084	D	46.76		<b>83,915</b> (1)	D			
Common	01/13/03								<b>25,039</b> (2)	I	Owned by Wife(3)		

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

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## FORM 4 (continued) Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of	2. Conver-	3.	3A.	4.	5.	6. Date Exercisable	7. Title and	8. Price of	9. Number of	10.	11. Nature
Derivative	sion or	Trans-	Deemed	Trans-	Number	and Expiration	Amount of	Derivative	Derivative	Owner-	of Indirect
Security	Exercise	action	Execution	action	of	Date	Underlying	Security	Securities	ship	Beneficial
	Price of	Date	Date,	Code	Derivati	(MeIonth/Day/	Securities	(Instr. 5)	Beneficially	Form	Ownership

<sup>\*</sup> If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(Instr. 3)	Derivative if any (Month/ Day/ Day/ Year)			(Instr. 8)		Securitic sear) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 &					: 3 & 4)	Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	of Derivative Security:  Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
				Code	V	(A)		Exer-cisable	-		Amount or Number of Shares				

Explanation of Responses:

- (1) This amount includes 12,055 shares in EIP-1, 5463 shares in 401K, 7138 shares in SEIP and 5816 shares in dividend reinvestment.
- (2) This amount includes 3667 shares in dividend reinvestment.
- (3) Reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership.

By: /s/ Richard L. Thompson 01/13/03
L.J. Huxtable, Power of Attorney

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

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