

HOWATT THOMAS J  
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**FORM 4**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
HOWATT THOMAS J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
WAUSAU PAPER CORP. [WPP]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
100 PAPER PLACE  
  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
11/15/2005

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
President & CEO

MOSINEE, WI 54455  
  
(City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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**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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
No Par Value Common Stock	11/15/2005		J <sup>(3)</sup>	V	35.7608	A	Common Stock Purchase Plan
					\$ 11.37		
					4,819.3388	I	

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. 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 Underlying (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title
Common Stock Equivalent Units	\$ 0 <sup>(1)</sup>	11/15/2005		A	V 110.3223	08/08/1988 <sup>(2)</sup> 08/08/1988 <sup>(2)</sup>	Common Stock
Common Stock Equivalent Units	\$ 0 <sup>(1)</sup>	11/30/2005		A	V 170.6485	08/08/1988 <sup>(2)</sup> 08/08/1988 <sup>(2)</sup>	Common Stock
Performance Rights	\$ 0 <sup>(1)</sup>	11/15/2005		A	30.9886	12/31/2005 <sup>(4)</sup> 12/31/2005 <sup>(4)</sup>	Common Stock
Dividend Equivalent	\$ 0 <sup>(5)</sup>	11/15/2005		A	V 46.7	08/08/1988 <sup>(5)</sup> 08/08/1988 <sup>(5)</sup>	Common Stock

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HOWATT THOMAS J 100 PAPER PLACE MOSINEE, WI 54455	X		President & CEO	

## Signatures

Sherri L. Craker,  
Attorney-in-Fact

12/02/2005

\*\*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) Converts to common stock on a one-for-one basis.

(2) Stock equivalent units accrued under the Wausau Paper Deferred Compensation Plan for Directors; the value of the units is paid in cash at Director's termination of service.

(3) Acquired under Dividend Reinvestment Plan.

(4) Performance conditions satisfied on February 28, 2005; rights vest if employment continues until December 31, 2005.

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- (5) Accruals on dividend record dates. Value of Dividend Equivalents paid in cash only at earlier of termination of employment or exercise of certain options.

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