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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading White Albert G III Issuer Symbol COOPER COMPANIES INC [COO] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner _X__ Officer (give title _ Other (specify 6140 STONERIDGE MALL 03/18/2010 below) RD., SUITE 590 VP Investor Rel. & Treasurer (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting PLEASANTON, CA 94588 Person

(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ities 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. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or			or	5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 3)	(any	Code	Disposed of (D)		Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or		Owned Following	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)	
						Reported Transaction(s)			
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	03/18/2010	03/18/2010	M	6,250	A	\$0	12,262.8428	D	
Common Stock	03/18/2010	03/18/2010	F	2,293 ₍₃₎	D	\$ 0	9,969.8428	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)	Code	5. Number ion Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Year)		Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Pr Deriv Secu (Inst
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	03/18/2010	03/18/2010	M	6,250	<u>(1)</u>	(2)	Common Stock	6,250	\$

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
F-	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
White Albert G III 6140 STONERIDGE MALL RD. SUITE 590 PLEASANTON, CA 94588			VP Investor Rel. & Treasurer				

Signatures

/s/ Albert G.
White III

**Signature of Reporting Person

O3/18/2010

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) The grant vests in equal portions on the following dates: 3/18/10 and 3/18/12.
- (2) This award has no expiration date. Units will either vest or be forfeit.
- (3) Shares withheld to cover applicable tax obligations. A FMV (closing price of the company's common stock on 3/18/10) of \$39.88 was used.

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