Mc Carthy Liam Form 4 July 29, 2009

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Mc Carthy Liam

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

[CMCO]

Issuer

COLUMBUS MCKINNON CORP

(Last)

(City)

(First)

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 07/27/2009

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)

140 JOHN JAMES AUDUBON **PARKWAY**

(Street)

(State)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

D

D

Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

AMHERST, NY 14228

| 1.Title of Security | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | |
|------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| (Instr. 3) | | any (Month/Day/Year) |

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

SEC 1474

(9-02)

(A)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Common

Stock Common

Stock

07/27/2009

Code V Amount (D) Price

2,692

1.997

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. Transact Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number ion 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 Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 8. Pr Deri Secu (Inst |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|--|--|--------------------|---|--|--------------------------------|
| | | | | Code V | v (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | |
| Restricted Stock Units | (2) | | | | | (3) | (3) | Common Stock | 940 | |
| Restricted Stock Units | (2) | 07/27/2009 | | A | 1,300 | <u>(4)</u> | <u>(4)</u> | Common Stock | 1,300 | \$ |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Mc Carthy Liam 140 JOHN JAMES AUDUBON PARKWAY X AMHERST, NY 14228

Signatures

Liam McCarthy 07/28/2009

**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) Represents shares granted to reporting person pursuant to the Columbus McKinnon Corporation 2006 Long Term Incentive Plan dated as of May 4, 2006.
- (2) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one (1) share of Columbus McKinnon Corporation common stock.
- Represents restricted stock units issued to reporting person under the Columbus McKinnon Corporation 2006 Long Term Incentive Plan (3) dated as of May 4, 2006, subject to forfeiture; units become fully vested and non-forfeitable 50% on November 10, 2009, 25% on November 10, 2010 and 25% on November 10, 2011, if reporting person remains a director of issuer.
- Represents restricted stock units issued to reporting person under the Columbus McKinnon Corporation 2006 Long Term Incentive Plan (4) dated as of May 4, 2006, subject to forfeiture; units become fully vested and non-forfeitable 50% on July 27, 2010, 25% on July 27, 2011 and 25% on July 27, 2012, if reporting person remains a director of issuer.

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