BOWATER INC Form 4/A March 29, 2007

FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * PATERSON DAVID J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

BOWATER INC [BOW]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(Middle) (First)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

_X__ Director

below)

10% Owner Other (specify

55 EAST CAMPERDOWN WAY

(Street)

(Month/Day/Year) 03/23/2007

X_ Officer (give title below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Chairman, President & CEO

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year) 03/27/2007

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

(Instr. 4)

Person

GREENVILLE, SC 29601

(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 Ownership (I)

(Instr. 4)

(A)

(Instr. 8)

Following Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

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

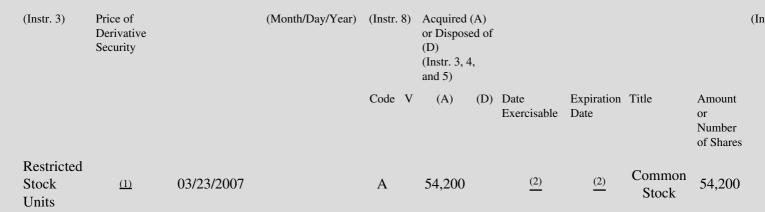
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4. 5. Number of **Transaction**Derivative Code Securities

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

7. Title and Amount of 8. 1 **Underlying Securities** De (Instr. 3 and 4) Sec

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
PATERSON DAVID J 55 EAST CAMPERDOWN WAY GREENVILLE, SC 29601	X		Chairman, President & CEO	

Signatures

William A. McCormick, Attorney-in-Fact 03/29/2007

**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).
- Footnote 1 of Mr. Paterson's Form 4 filed with the Securities and Exchange Comission on March 27, 2007 contained an incorrect exchange ratio. The corrected footnote should read: "Each Restricted Stock Unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Bowater Incorporated common stock. Under the terms of the proposed merger of Bowater Incorporated and Abitibi-Consolidated Inc. (the "Merger"), each share of Bowater Incorporated common stock would be converted to .52 share of the combined company."
- The Restricted Stock Units will vest on a pro-rata basis upon the achievement of certain amounts of documented synergies during the two year period following the consummation of the Merger. For example, the reporting person would receive the maximum of 54,200 shares for the achievement of \$300 million or more in synergies, 45,100 shares for the achievement of \$250 million in synergies and 36,100 shares for the achievement of \$200 million in synergies.

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