

MERCER INTERNATIONAL INC.
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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 *
LEE JIMMY S H

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
**MERCER INTERNATIONAL INC.
 [MERC]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
SUITE 2840, 650 WEST GEORGIA STREET

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
05/13/2008

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

(Street)
VANCOUVER, A1 V6B 4N8

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	05/13/2008		P		25,940	A	\$ 7.5
							1,300,740
Common Stock	05/13/2008		P		4,200	A	\$ 7.42
							1,304,940
Common Stock	05/13/2008		P		3,960	A	\$ 7.48
							1,308,900
Common Stock	05/13/2008		P		3,400	A	\$ 7.49
							1,312,300
Common Stock	05/13/2008		P		100	A	\$ 7.44
							1,312,400

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

Table with 10 columns: 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 Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4), 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5), 9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Beneficially (Instr. 5).

Reporting Owners

Table with 2 main columns: Reporting Owner Name / Address, Relationships (Director, 10% Owner, Officer, Other). Entry for LEE JIMMY S H, SUITE 2840, 650 WEST GEORGIA STREET, VANCOUVER, A1 V6B 4N8, Chief Executive Officer.

Signatures

/s/ Jimmy S.H. Lee 05/14/2008
**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

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