DIXIE GROUP INC

Form 4

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FORM 4

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 * Lapeere Craig S

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Middle)

DIXIE GROUP INC [DXYN]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First)

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

Director _X__ Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

716 BILL MYLES DRIVE

08/03/2005

below)

VP & President of Masland Rsdl

(Street)

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

Person

SARALAND, AL 36571

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secui	ities Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securion(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	or	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock, \$3 par value	08/03/2005		M	5,000	A	\$ 5.75	8,279 (1)	D	
Common Stock, \$3 par value	08/03/2005		M	6,273	A	\$ 6.96	14,552 (1)	D	
Common Stock, \$3 par value	08/03/2005		S	1,582	D	\$ 17.05	12,970 (1)	D	
Common Stock, \$3	08/03/2005		S	500	D	\$ 17.04	12,470 (1)	D	

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par value							
Common Stock, \$3 par value	08/03/2005	S	200	D	\$ 17.03	12,270 (1)	D
Common Stock, \$3 par value	08/03/2005	S	100	D	\$ 17.01	12,170 (1)	D
Common Stock, \$3 par value	08/03/2005	S	7,530	D	\$ 17	4,640 (1)	D
Common Stock, \$3 par value	08/03/2005	S	100	D	\$ 16.95	4,540 (1)	D
Common Stock, \$3 par value	08/03/2005	S	1,261	D	\$ 16.9	3,279 (1)	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)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number coof Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	of Derivative Expiration Date Securities (Month/Day/Year) Acquired A) or Disposed of D) Instr. 3, 4,		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 5.75	08/03/2005		M	1,250	11/15/1998	11/15/2006	Common Stock, \$3 par value	1,250
Employee Stock Option (right to	\$ 5.75	08/03/2005		M	1,250	11/15/1999	11/15/2006	Common Stock, \$3 par value	1,250

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buy)								
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 5.75	08/03/2005	M	1,250	11/15/2000	11/15/2006	Common Stock, \$3 par value	1,250
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 5.75	08/03/2005	M	1,250	11/15/2001	11/15/2006	Common Stock, \$3 par value	1,250
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 6.96	08/03/2005	M	3,773	11/02/2002	05/02/2012	Common Stock, \$3 par value	3,773
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 6.96	08/03/2005	M	1,250	05/02/2004	05/02/2012	Common Stock, \$3 par value	1,250
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 6.96	08/03/2005	M	1,250	05/02/2005	05/02/2012	Common Stock, \$3 par value	1,250

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Lapeere Craig S					

716 BILL MYLES DRIVE SARALAND, AL 36571

VP & President of Masland Rsdl

Signatures

John F. Henry, Jr., by power of attorney for Craig S.
Lepeere 08/05/2005

**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) Includes 3,279 shares allocated to the Reporting Person's account under the Issuer's 401(K) plan.

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