FURMAN WILLIAM A

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 * FURMAN WILLIAM A			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SCHNITZER STEEL INDUSTRIES INC [SCHN]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) ONE CENTE DRIVE, SUI		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/25/1995	X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)		

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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivativ	e Secu	rities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	omr Dispo (Instr. 3,	esed of 4 and (A) or	` ′	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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Class A Common Stock	08/25/1995		P	6	A	\$ 27.5	3,506 <u>(1)</u>	I	See Note
Class A Common Stock	11/24/1995		P	5	A	\$ 29.5	3,511 <u>(1)</u>	I	See Note
Class A Common Stock	02/23/1996		P	5	A	\$ 30	3,516 <u>(1)</u>	I	See Note
Class A	05/24/1996		P	6	A	\$ 26.75	3,522 <u>(1)</u>	I	See Note

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Common Stock								(2)
Class A Common Stock	08/23/1996	P	6	A	\$ 25.75	3,528 (1)	I	See Note
Class A Common Stock	11/22/1996	P	6	A	\$ 25.5	3,534 (1)	I	See Note
Class A Common Stock	02/21/1997	P	6	A	\$ 27.75	3,540 (1)	I	See Note
Class A Common Stock	05/21/1997	P	6	A	\$ 26.5	3,546 (1)	I	See Note
Class A Common Stock	08/21/1997	P	5	A	\$ 33.5	3,551 <u>(1)</u>	I	See Note
Class A Common Stock	11/21/1997	P	6	A	\$ 28.75	3,557 (1)	I	See Note
Class A Common Stock	02/20/1998	P	6	A	\$ 29.125	3,563 (1)	I	See Note
Class A Common Stock	05/21/1998	P	6	A	\$ 27	3,569 (1)	I	See Note
Class A Common Stock	08/21/1998	P	9	A	\$ 18.6878	3,578 (1)	I	See Note
Class A Common Stock	11/23/1998	P	9	A	\$ 18.6256	3,587 (1)	I	See Note
Class A Common Stock	02/19/1999	P	12	A	\$ 13.9375	3,599 (1)	I	See Note
Class A Common Stock	05/20/1999	P	10	A	\$ 16.875	3,609 (1)	I	See Note
Class A Common Stock	08/19/1999	P	9	A	\$ 18.3756	3,618 (1)	I	See Note
Class A Common Stock	11/19/1999	P	9	A	\$ 18.3756	3,627 (1)	I	See Note

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Class A Common Stock	02/18/2000	P	10	A	\$ 16.625	3,637 (1)	I	See Note
Class A Common Stock	05/23/2000	P	10	A	\$ 18	3,647 <u>(1)</u>	I	See Note
Class A Common Stock	08/23/2000	P	12	A	\$ 14.9375	3,659 (1)	I	See Note
Class A Common Stock	11/22/2000	P	12	A	\$ 14.5	3,671 <u>(1)</u>	I	See Note
Class A Common Stock	02/22/2001	P	14	A	\$ 13.0629	3,685 <u>(1)</u>	I	See Note
Class A Common Stock	05/22/2001	P	13	A	\$ 13.88	3,698 (1)	I	See Note
Class A Common Stock	08/22/2001	P	14	A	\$ 12.98	3,712 (1)	I	See Note
Class A Common Stock	11/23/2001	P	13	A	\$ 13.5	3,725 <u>(1)</u>	I	See Note
Class A Common Stock	02/22/2002	P	11	A	\$ 15.9891	3,736 <u>(1)</u>	I	See Note
Class A Common Stock	05/22/2002	P	9	A	\$ 20.4989	3,745 <u>(1)</u>	I	See Note
Class A Common Stock	08/22/2002	P	10	A	\$ 18.7	3,755 <u>(1)</u>	I	See Note
Class A Common Stock	11/21/2002	P	10	A	\$ 17.49	3,765 <u>(1)</u>	I	See Note

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)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)		ate	7. Title a Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 a	of ng s	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	or Title Nu of	umber		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
FURMAN WILLIAM A ONE CENTERPOINTE DRIVE SUITE 200 LAKE OSWEGO, OR 97035-8612	X						

Signatures

Ilene Dobrow Davidson, Attorney-in-Fact

10/18/2005 Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

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) All amounts on this Form 4 are as of the date of the reported transaction and do not reflect the 2-for-1 stock split effected on August 14, 2003 and the 3-for 2 stock split effected on March 25, 2004.
- (2) Shares are held by James-Furman & Company, a partnership in which the reporting person holds a 50% partnership interest. Shares reported on this Form 4 include 100% of the shares owned by the partnership.

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