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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting

Person *

 HOPKINS JOHN P

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

08/08/2006

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

5. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

C/O HENRY BROS.

ELECTRONICS, INC., Â 280

MIDLAND AVENUE

(Street)

10% Owner Director Other

_X__ Officer (give title below) (specify below) Chief Financial Officer

(Check all applicable)

Henry Bros. Electronics, Inc. [HBE]

6. Individual or Joint/Group

Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting

Person

Form filed by More than One

Reporting Person

SADDLE BROOK, NJÂ 07663

(City) (State) (Zip)

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

(Instr. 4)

3. Ownership

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

Form:

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership

(Instr. 5)

or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

Direct (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 Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

3. Title and Amount of

1. Title of Derivative Security 2. Date Exercisable and (Instr. 4)

Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)

Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

4 Conversion or Exercise

Price of

5. Ownership Form of

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial

Ownership

Date Exercisable

Expiration Date

Derivative

Derivative (Instr. 5) Security:

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Shares or Indirect
(I)
(Instr. 5)

Option (right to buy) $08/08/2007 \ 08/08/2012 \ \frac{\text{Common}}{\text{Stock}} \ \frac{150,000}{(1) \ (2)} \ \$ \ 3.71$ D \hat{A}

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

HOPKINS JOHN P
C/O HENRY BROS. ELECTRONICS, INC.
280 MIDLAND AVENUE
\$ADDLE BROOK, NJÂ 07663
 Â Chief Financial Officer Â

Signatures

John P. Hopkins 08/16/2006

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).
- On August 8, 2006, the Compensation Committee of the Company's Board of Directors authorized the grant to John Hopkins of options (1) to purchase 150,000 shares of the Company's common stock. These options were granted pursuant to the Company's 1999 Stock Option
- (2) Exercisable at the rate of 20% per year at each anniversary date of the grant of such options.

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