FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>LEMMON DAVID L</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol KIRBY CORP [KEX]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Iss (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Ox						
(Last) 1101 VE	Last) (First) (Middle)							3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/22/2008								Officer (give title Other (spec below) below)				
(Street) LAS VE		tate)	89144 (Zip)		-	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							Line)	-,						
		Tab	le I - Non	ı-Deriv	ative	Sec	curitie	s Ac	quired	, Dis	posed	of, or Be	enefic	cially	Owned	t				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						ar) l	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year		Code	sactio	n Dispose	4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5)				es ally Following	Form (D) o	: Direct r Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
								Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)		ice	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock, par value \$.10 per share 04/22/						/2008		A ⁽¹⁾		1,00	1,000 A		\$ <mark>0</mark>	3,	3,000		D			
	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 Da if any (Month/Day/	Date,	Date, Transa Code (6. Date Exercis Expiration Date (Month/Day/Ye		9	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)		S (I	. Price of Perivative Security Instr. 5)	ative derivative		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code		(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	Amor or Numi of Share	ber						
Director Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$55.49	04/22/2008			A		6,000		10/22/20	08	04/22/2018	Common Stock	6,00	00	\$55.49	28,000)	D		

Explanation of Responses:

1. Restricted Stock granted under the 2000 Nonemployee Director Stock Option plan for Kirby Corporation.

Remarks:

G. Stephen Holcomb, Agent and Attorney-in-Fact

04/24/2008

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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