FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* SCHMIDT CARL G					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LEE ENTERPRISES INC [LEE ENT]						(Che	elationship o eck all applica Director	able)	Perso	on(s) to Issu 10% Ow Other (s	ner		
(Last) LEE EN	`	irst) S, INCORPRO	(Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/19/2004										es.,C	below) FO&Treas		
201 N. HARRISON STREET, STE. 600						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable					
(Street) DAVENPORT IA 52801					11/22/2004						Line							
(City)	(S	state)	(Zip)		Ferson													
		Ta	ble I - Non-	Derivati	ve S	ecurities	s Acc	uired,	Dis	posed of	f, or Ber	eficiall	y Owned					
Date				?. Transactio Date Month/Day/\	Day/Year) Exec		2A. Deemed Execution Date, f any Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Disposed (Code (Instr.		es Acquired (A) or Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and		Beneficia Owned F	s For ally (D) ollowing (I) (I		Direct I Indirect I str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
							Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transacti (Instr. 3 a	on(s)			(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock 11/19/					2004 A 5,810 ⁽¹⁾ A \$47.64 22,111		111		D									
			Table II - D (e							osed of, convertib			Owned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	ercise (Month/Day/Year) of vative	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code		Derivative		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	ily	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)		Date Exercisal	ble	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s (Instr. 4)			
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buv)	\$47.64	11/19/2004		A		9,960 ⁽²⁾		11/19/200)5 ⁽³⁾	11/18/2014	Common Stock	9,960	\$0	9,960		D		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Scrivener's mistake resulting in the under-reporting of the actual grant by 1,710 shares.
- $2. \ Scrivener's \ mistake \ resulting \ in \ the \ over-reporting \ of \ the \ actual \ grant \ by \ 2,040 \ option \ shares.$
- 3. These securities are exercisable as follows: 30% upon the first anniversary date of the grant; 60% upon the second anniversary date of the grant; and 100% upon the third anniversary date of the grant.

Edmund H. Carroll, Lmtd. POA, Attorney-in-Fact

11/30/2004

** 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).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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