() Check box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instructions 1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting

Person

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

3. IRS or Social Security Number of Reporting Person (Voluntary)

4. Statement 5. If Amendment, for Date of Month/Year **Original** (Month/Year)

Carlile, Tom E. Boise Cascade Corporation 1111 West Jefferson Street Boise, ID 83702

Boise Cascade Corporation BCC

12-13-2002

6. Relationship of Reporting Person to Issuer (Check all applicable)

_10% Owner _Officer (give title below) _Other (specify below) _Director

> Vice President & Controller

7. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting [X] Form Filed by One Reporting Person

[] Form Filed by More than One Reporting Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially owned

4. Securities aquired (A) 1. Title of 2. Trans-3. Trans-5. Amount of 6. Owner- 7. Nature of Indirect Security or Disposed of (D) Beneficial Ownership action action Securities Ship (Instr. 3) Date Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: (Instr. 4) Owned at Direct (Instr. (Month/ 8) (A) End of Month (D) or (Instr. 3 Ìndirect Dav/ Year) Code V Amount (D) Price and 4) (I)

52 D Common Stock

Common Stock (a) 746.2817 I By BCC Thrift Plan

Preferred Stock (a) 851.3429 I Held by ESOP Trustee

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertable securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Con- Trans- T version action a or Date C Exercise (action Code		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)				7. Title and Amo of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and		of Deriv 4) ative Secu- rity		9. Number of Deriv- ative Secu- rities . Bene- fically Owned at end	Ship Form of Deriv- ative Secu- rity: Direct	
		(Month/ Day/ Year)	C O D E	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exer- cis- able	tion	Title		Amount or Number of Shares		of Month (Instr. 4)	Ìndi- rect	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$24.875							07-29 -2004	Common	Stock			9,300	D	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$43.875							07-28 -2005	Common	Stock			9,300	D	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$31.375							07-26 -2006	Common	Stock			9,300	D	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$36.875							07-25 -2007	Common	Stock			8,800	D	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$28.875							07-31 -2008	Common	Stock			12,700	D	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$29.375							02-12 -2009	Common	Stock			5,800	D	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$38.062	5						07-30 -2009	Common	Stock			15,900	D	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$27.50							07-28 -2010	Common	Stock			19,625	D	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$35.60							07-27 -2011	Common	Stock			22,900	D	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$27.76							07-25 -2012	Common	Stock			24,100	D	

12-13 A Phantom Stock Units (b) 84.8208 Common Stock \$24.78 5,978.2 D -2002 849

Explanation of responses:

(a) Represents number of shares beneficially owned as of December 13, 2002, based on information from plan administrator.

(b) Each phantom stock unit is equal in value to one share of the company's common stock.

Signature of Reporting Person: /s/Tom E. Carlile

Tom E. Carlile