FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

OMB APPROVAL

OMB Number: 3235-0287
Estimated average burden

hours per response:

0.5

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

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* GROCE A BEN					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BOISE CASCADE CORP [BCC]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify)							
(Last) (First) (Middle) BOISE CASCADE CORPORATION 1111 W. JEFFERSON ST.						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/30/2004								X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Sr. Vice President						
(Street) BOISE ID 83702					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person							
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)																	
Table I - Non-Deriv 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transpare (Month)					action	2A. De Execu if any	2A. Deemed Execution Date,		3. 4. Securi Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5)		ities Acquired (A) or		or	5. Amoun Securities Beneficial Owned Fo	i Ily	Form:	: Direct Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
									· v	Amount	(A) or (D)		ice	Reported Transaction (Instr. 3 au	on(s) nd 4)			(Instr. 4)		
Common	Stock								$\perp \perp \downarrow$					40,664		D				
Common Stock													50.9	50.936		I	By 401(k) Plan ⁽¹⁾			
Preferred Stock													526.1042			I	By ESOP Trust ⁽¹⁾			
			Table II - I							osed of				wned						
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	erivative Conversion Date Execution Courity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any		3A. Deemed Execution Da	te, Tra	insactio de (Inst	5. Nur n Derive r. Secur Acqui or Dis of (D)	5. Number of 6. Derivative		. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amo of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)		unt	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported	e s ally	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Co	de V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	Amor or Numl of Sh	oer		Transacti (Instr. 4)	ion(s)				
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$24.875							07/29/19	95	07/29/2004	Common Stock	12,	100		12,10	00	D			
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$43.875							07/28/19	996	07/28/2005	Common Stock	12,	100		12,10	0	D			
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$31.375							07/26/19	997	07/26/2006	Common Stock	12,	100		12,10	00	D			
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$36.875							07/25/19	98	07/25/2007	Common Stock	15,	700		15,70	00	D			
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$28.875							07/31/19	999	07/31/2008	Common Stock	16,3	300		16,30	00	D			
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$29.375							02/11/20	000	02/12/2009	Common Stock	3,6	000		3,600	0	D			
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$38.0625							07/29/20	000	07/30/2009	Common Stock	20,	100		20,10	00	D			
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$27.5							07/27/20	001	07/28/2010	Common Stock	24,	100		24,10	00	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 Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		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 Transaction(s)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)		
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$24.75							09/27/2001	09/28/2010	Common Stock	15,000		15,000	D	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$35.6							07/26/2002	07/27/2011	Common Stock	47,600		47,600	D	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$27.76							07/24/2003	07/25/2012	Common Stock	45,400		45,400	D	
Phantom Stock Units	(2)	04/30/2004		A		39.0673		(3)	(4)	Common Stock	39.0673	\$33.73	12,439.7611	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- $1. \ Represents \ number \ of \ shares \ beneficially \ owned \ as \ of \ April \ 30, \ 2004, \ based \ on \ information \ from \ plan \ administrator.$
- 2. Each phantom stock unit is equal in value to one share of the company's common stock.
- 3. Vested in participant stock units (and related dividend equivalent stock units) at all times. Company matching stock units (and related dividend equivalent stock units) vest as follows: (a) 100% upon participant's death, disability, or early or normal retirement; (b) 100% upon a change in control of the company; (c) 100% upon involuntary termination for reasons other than disciplinary reasons or termination as a result of the sale or permanent closure of a company facility, operating unit, or division; and (d) 20% on each anniversary of the date account was first credited with stock units under the plan. 20% is cumulative -- after 5 years, participant is completely vested in all stock units in his or her account, including any stock units allocated to the account in the future.
- 4. Shares of phantom stock are payable in shares of common stock in accordance with the participant's Deferred Compensation Distribution Election Agreement, except in the case of a change in control, in which case payment may be made in either cash or stock.

Remarks:

A. Ben Groce 05/04/2004

** 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).

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

 $Persons \ who \ respond \ to \ the \ collection \ of \ information \ contained \ in \ this \ form \ are \ not \ required \ to \ respond \ unless \ the \ form \ displays \ a \ currently \ valid \ OMB \ Number.$