() 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 4. Statement Security for Month/Year Reporting Person (Voluntary)

5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Year)

Bender, John C. Boise Cascade Corporation 1111 West Jefferson Street Boise, ID 83702 Boise Cascade Corporation BCC

01-15-2003

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

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

X Sr. Vice President

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 (Instr. 3) or Disposed of (D) Beneficial Ownership action action Securities Ship Date Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: (Instr. 4) Owned at Direct (Instr. (Month/ 8) (A) End of Month (D) or Ìndirect Dav/ (Instr. 3 Year) Code V Amount (D) Price and 4) (I)

Common Stock 132 D

Preferred Stock (a) 773.6864 I By ESOP Trust

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)	2. Con- version or Exercise Price of Deriv- ative Security	con- Trans- version action Date exercise verice of verive- utive		1	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	ative Secu-	of Indirect Bene- ficial Owner- ship (Instr.
		(Month/ Day/ Year)	O D	/	(A)	(D)	Date Exer- cis- able	tion	Title		Amount or Number of Shares		of Month (Instr. 4)	Indi- rect (I) (Instr 4)	
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)	\$29.375							02-12 -2009	Common	Stock			2,600	D	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$38.0625							07-30 -2009	Common	Stock			29,000	D	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$27.50							07-28 -2010	Common	Stock			29,000	D	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$24.75							09-28 -2010	Common	Stock			15,500	D	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$35.60							07-27 -2011	Common	Stock			52,900	D	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$27.76							07-25 -2012	Common	Stock			44,000	D	
Phantom Stock Units	(b)	01-15 -2003	Α		207.51 7	.7			Common	Stock		\$27.40	11,806. 8994	D	

Explanation of responses:

- (a) Represents number of shares beneficially owned as of January 15, 2003, 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/John C. Bender

John C. Bender