FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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* <u>HOFFMAN JOEL S</u>						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol HUBBELL INC [ HUBA, HUBB ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
					1		LLL III	<u> </u>	TIODII	, 110	<i>DD</i> ]		2	Director			10% Ow	ner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 101 APAWAMIS AVENUE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/20/2004								Officer (g below)	give title		Other (s <sub>l</sub> below)	pecify		
(Street)	NY	10580				4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							- 1	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)	(Stat	e) (Z	Zip)																
		Tal	ole I - Nor	n-Deri	vativ	e Se	curities	Acq	uired,	Dis	posed of	, or Ben	eficially	Owned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Trans. Date (Month/I				/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date if any (Month/Day/Yea		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) of Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			5. Amount Securities Beneficiall Following Reported		6. Own Form: (D) or I (I) (Inst	Direct I Indirect E tr. 4) (	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
								Code	v	Amount	Amount (A) or (D)		Transactio (Instr. 3 an						
			Table II -								osed of, o			wned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution D if any (Month/Day	Date,	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)	re es ally g d	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa	able	Expiration Date	Title	Amount o Number o Shares		(Instr. 4)	iioii(s)			
Directors Deferred Compensation Stock Units <sup>(1)</sup>	\$76.43 <sup>(2)</sup>	02/20/2004			A		26.168 <sup>(1)</sup>		(3)		(3)	Class A and Class B Common Stock	26.168 <sup>(1</sup>	\$76.43 <sup>(2)</sup>	14,854	.511	D		

### Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Equal number of shares of Class A and Class B Common Stock credited as units under Hubbell's Deferred Compensation Plan for Directors.
- 2. Unit price consisting of the closing price of one share each of Class A and Class B Common Stock.
- 3. Deferred units are payable commencing on the January 1 following the reporting person's retirement or separation from the Board.

## Remarks:

Richard W. Davies Attorney-infact for Joel S. Hoffman

02/23/2004

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- $^{\star}$  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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