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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* SWIFT RICHARD J					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HUBBELL INC [HUBA, HUBB]									ationship of k all applicat Director		Person	(s) to Issuer	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 55 BUTTERNUT LANE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/15/2005									Officer (g below)	ive title		Other (sp below)	ecify
(Street) BASKING RIDGE NJ 07920 (City) (State) (Zip)				4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								l	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
		Tal	ole I - Non	-Deriv	ativ	e Se	curities	Acq	uired, [Disp	osed of	, or Ben	eficially	Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Trans. Date (Month/I				Day/Year) if		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 3, 4) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4)				and 5) Securities Beneficially Following		Form: I	Direct Indirect I	7. Nature of ndirect Beneficial Ownership		
							Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction (Instr. 3 and			(1	nstr. 4)		
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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)	ate, Ti	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)					8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	i S Illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				С	ode	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisal	ole	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction((Instr. 4)	on(s)		
Directors Deferred Compensation Stock Units ⁽¹⁾	\$86.68 ⁽²⁾	08/15/2005			A		86.525 ⁽¹⁾		(3)		(3)	Class A and Class B Common	86.525(1)	\$86.68 ⁽²⁾	822.22	:3	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 Richard J. Swift

08/16/2005

** 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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