FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* HOFFMAN JOEL S						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HUBBELL INC [HUBA, HUBB]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 101 APAWAMIS AVENUE				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/04/2005									Officer (g below)	ive title	10% Owner Other (specify below)			
(Street) RYE	•		0580	80			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							dividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(Stat		Zip)		<u> </u>													
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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 Da if any (Month/Day/)	ate, 4	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	e s ally g	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisabl		Expiration Date	Title	Amount of Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)	ion(s)		
Directors Deferred Compensation Stock Units ⁽¹⁾	\$101.8 ⁽²⁾	03/04/2005			A		19.646 ⁽¹⁾		(3)		(3)	Class A and Class B Common	19.646 ⁽¹	\$101.8(2)	16,477.	.205	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

03/07/2005

** 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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