

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

FORM 4

Statement of changes in beneficial ownership of securities

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ISSUER

COOPER COMPANIES INC

CIK: [711404](#) | IRS No.: [942657368](#) | State of Incorporation: **DE** | Fiscal Year End: **1031**
SIC: **3851** Ophthalmic goods

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REPORTING OWNER

PICHOTTA NICHOLAS J

CIK: [1182774](#)
Type: **4** | Act: **34** | File No.: [001-08597](#) | Film No.: [13522892](#)

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person PICHOTTA NICHOLAS J			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol COOPER COMPANIES INC [COO]			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below) Pres, CEO Cooper Medical, Inc.		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/08/2013					
6140 STONERIDGE MALL DRIVE, SUITE 590			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check applicable line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form Filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form Filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(Street) PLEASANTON, CA 94588								
(City)	(State)	(Zip)						

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	01/08/2013		M		2,475	A	\$ 0	11,438	D	
Common Stock	01/08/2013		F		1,259 ⁽¹⁾	D	\$ 0	10,179	D	
Common Stock	01/08/2013		M		1,956	A	\$ 0	12,135	D	
Common Stock	01/08/2013		F		952 ⁽¹⁾	D	\$ 0	11,183	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) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date						Title
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 ⁽²⁾	01/08/2013		M			2,475	(3)	(4)	Common Stock	2,475	\$ 0	4,950	D	

Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 ⁽²⁾	01/08/2013	<u>M</u>		1,956	⁽⁵⁾	⁽⁴⁾	Common Stock	1,956	\$ 0	5,867	D	
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Explanation of Responses:

1. Shares withheld to cover applicable tax obligations. A FMV (closing price of the company's common stock on 1/8/13) of \$96.04 was used.
2. RSU Exercise Price: There is no exercise price associated with the grant of Restricted Stock Units.
3. Grant Date 11/29/10 RSU Vesting Date: The grant vests in equal portions on the following dates: 1/8/12, 1/8/13, 1/8/14 and 1/8/15.
4. RSU Expiration Date: This award has no expiration date. Units will either vest or be forfeit.
5. Grant Date 12/14/11 RSU Vesting Date: The grant vests in equal portions on the following dates: 1/8/13, 1/8/14, 1/8/15 and 1/8/16.

Signatures

/s/ Nicholas J. Pichotta

** Signature of Reporting Person

01/10/2013

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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