

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

FORM 4

Statement of changes in beneficial ownership of securities

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REPORTING OWNER

SMOLENSKI ERIC M

CIK: **1459904**

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ISSUER

WORTHINGTON INDUSTRIES INC

CIK: **108516** | IRS No.: **311189815** | State of Incorporation: **OH** | Fiscal Year End: **0531**
SIC: **3310** Steel works, blast furnaces & rolling & finishing mills

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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 SMOLENSKI ERIC M			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol WORTHINGTON INDUSTRIES INC [WOR]			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) ____ Director <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Chief Information Officer		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/08/2013			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check applicable line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form Filed by One Reporting Person ____ Form Filed by More than One Reporting Person		
200 OLD WILSON BRIDGE ROAD			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					
(Street)								
COLUMBUS, OH 43085								
(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 Shares	01/08/2013		M		3,000	A	\$19.2	20,545	D	
Common Shares	01/08/2013		S		3,000	D	\$27.5	17,545	D	
Common Shares								5,091 ⁽¹⁾	I	By 401(k) Plan

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
Non-Qualified Stock Option (Right to Purchase)	\$19.2	01/08/2013		M		3,000		06/01/2005 ⁽²⁾	05/31/2014	common shares	3,000	\$ 0	2,000	D	
Phantom stock, acquired under	⁽³⁾							⁽⁴⁾	⁽⁵⁾	common shares	101		3,748	D	

deferred compensation plan																		
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Explanation of Responses:

1. Amount listed is the most up-to-date information available regarding holdings in the Company Plan Fund which invests in Common Shares of the Company.
2. This non-qualified stock option was granted out of the Company's 2003 Stock Option Plan and vests at 20% per year. Date listed is the first day the options are available.
3. The accounts track common shares on a one-for-one basis
4. The account balances related to the theoretical common shares may be immediately transferred to other investment options under the terms of the deferred compensation plans.
5. These are unfunded accounts under Worthington Industries, Inc.'s deferred compensation plan invested in phantom stock. Distributions are made only in cash, and generally commence upon retirement or other termination of employment.

Signatures

/s/Dale T. Brinkman as Attorney-in-Fact for Eric M Smolenski

01/10/2013

** 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).

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