

COOPER TIRE & RUBBER CO  
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**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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 Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section  
 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement	3. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	
Â COOPER TIRE & RUBBER CO			(Month/Day/Year)	COOPER TIRE & RUBBER CO [CTB]	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	01/01/2006		
701 LIMA AVENUE			4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Street)			(Check all applicable)		
FINDLAY, Â OH Â 45840			<input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other (give title below)    (specify below) Principal Accounting Officer		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	5. 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		

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock	2,000	D	Â
Common Stock	650	D	Â
Common Stock	7,107	I	Shares held in Company Thrift & Profit Sharing Plan based on Plan Statement dated 09/30/05

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

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			
Stock Option(right to buy)	07/22/1998	07/22/2006	Common Stock	400	\$ 18.5	D	Â
Stock Option(right to buy)	07/22/1999	07/22/2007	Common Stock	400	\$ 24.5	D	Â
Stock Option(right to buy)	07/21/2000	07/21/2008	Common Stock	800	\$ 20.5625	D	Â
Stock Option(right to buy)	07/20/2001	07/20/2009	Common Stock	1,000	\$ 22.9375	D	Â
Stock Option(right to buy)	02/08/2002	02/08/2010	Common Stock	2,000	\$ 12.5938	D	Â
Stock Option(right to buy)	02/08/2003	02/08/2011	Common Stock	1,000	\$ 13.47	D	Â
Stock Option(right to buy)	02/06/2004	02/06/2012	Common Stock	1,000	\$ 14.955	D	Â
Stock Option(right to buy)	11/17/2005	02/05/2013	Common Stock	1,500	\$ 14.62	D	Â
Stock Option(right to buy)	11/17/2005	02/04/2014	Common Stock	1,500	\$ 19.76	D	Â
Stock Option(right to buy)	11/17/2005	02/25/2015	Common Stock	1,500	\$ 21.61	D	Â

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
COOPER TIRE & RUBBER CO 701 LIMA AVENUE FINDLAY, OH 45840	Â	Â	Â Principal Accounting Officer	Â

## Signatures

Robert W. Huber 01/03/2006

\*\*Signature of  
Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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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