### CUMMINS EDGAR J Form 3 January 06, 2005 FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549 OMB approval

### INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> CUMMINS EDGAR J			<ul><li>2. Date of Event Requiring</li><li>Statement</li><li>(Month/Day/Year)</li></ul>	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol COOPER COMPANIES INC [COO]				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	01/06/2005	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	
939 SANDCASTLE DRIVE (Street)				(Check all applicable) <u>X</u> Director 10% Owner Officer Other (give title below) (specify below)		Owner	<ul> <li>6. Individual or Joint/Group</li> <li>r Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person</li> </ul>	
CORONA DEL MAR, CA 92625			ow)					
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - N	lon-Derivati	ve Securiti	es Ber	neficially Owned	
1.Title of Secur (Instr. 4)	rity		2. Amount o Beneficially (Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nat Owner (Instr.	1	
Common Sto	ock		28,056 <u>(1)</u>		D	Â		
Common Sto	ock		193 <u>(1)</u>		Ι	1995	Family Trust	

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)

1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Date Exercisable and	3. Title and Amount of	4.	5.	6. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 4)	Expiration Date	Securities Underlying	Conversion	Ownership	Beneficial Ownership
	(Month/Day/Year)	Derivative Security	or Exercise	Form of	(Instr. 5)
		(Instr. 4)	Price of	Derivative	
			Derivative	Security:	

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Date	Expiration	Title	Amount or	Security	Direct (D)
Exercisable	Date		Number of		or Indirect
			Shares		(I)
					(Instr. 5)

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships					
		Director	Director 10% Owner		Other		
CUMMINS EDGAR J 939 SANDCASTLE DRIV CORONA DEL MAR, C	· —	X	Â	Â	Â		
Signatures							
Edgar J Cummins	01/06/2005						
**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).
- (1) Represents shares acquired in the conversion of Ocular Sciences, Inc. ("OSI") common stock and stock options into common stock of The Cooper Companies, Inc. ("TCC") upon closing of merger by and between OSI, TCC Acquisition Corp. and TCC.

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