

LEWIS CAROL S  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
LEWIS CAROL S

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
SCHNITZER STEEL INDUSTRIES INC [SCHN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
11/11/2009

\_\_\_\_ Director  
\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title below)  
 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)

3200 NW YEON AVENUE

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

PORTLAND, OR 97210

(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)                     |
| Class A Common Stock            | 11/11/2009                           |  | C                              |   |        | 10,000 | \$ 0  | 10,000   | I   | By Voting Trust <sup>(4)</sup> |
| Class A Common Stock            | 11/11/2009                           |  | Z                              | V   | 10,000 | D      | \$ 0  | 0  | I   | By Voting Trust <sup>(4)</sup> |
| Class A Common Stock            | 11/11/2009                           |  | Z                              | V   | 10,000 | A      | \$ 0  | 14,500   | I   | By Trust <sup>(4)</sup>        |
| Class A Common                  | 11/11/2009                           |  | S                              |   | 10,000 | D      | \$ 45.528   | 4,500  | I   | By Trust <sup>(4)</sup>        |

Stock

|                            |            |  |   |        |   |            |        |   |                 |
|----------------------------|------------|--|---|--------|---|------------|--------|---|-----------------|
| Class A<br>Common<br>Stock | 11/11/2009 |  | C | 10,000 | A | \$ 0       | 10,000 | I | By Trust<br>(2) |
| Class A<br>Common<br>Stock | 11/11/2009 |  | S | 10,000 | D | \$ 45.1824 | 0      | I | By Trust<br>(2) |

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

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**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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. P... Der... Sec... (Ins...) |                            |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--------------------------------|----------------------------|
|  |  |                                      |  |                                |   | Date Exercisable   | Expiration Date   | Title                          | Amount or Number of Shares |
|  |  |                                      |  |                                |   | Code   | V   | (A)                            | (D)                        |
| Class B<br>Common<br>Stock                 | (1)  | 11/11/2009                           |  | C                              | 10,000  | (1)  | (1)   | Class A<br>Common<br>Stock     | 10,000                     |
| Class B<br>Common<br>Stock                 | (1)  |                                      |  |                                |   | (1)  | (1)   | Class A<br>Common<br>Stock     | 63,700                     |
| Class B<br>Common<br>Stock                 | (1)  | 11/11/2009                           |  | C                              | 10,000  | (1)  | (1)   | Class A<br>Common<br>Stock     | 10,000                     |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                             | Relationships |           |         |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| LEWIS CAROL S<br>3200 NW YEON AVENUE<br>PORTLAND, OR 97210 |               | X         |         |       |

## Signatures

Richard C. Josephson,  
Attorney-In-Fact

11/11/2009

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* 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).
- (1) Class B Common Stock is immediately convertible on a one-for-one basis into Class A Common Stock and has no expiration date.
- (2) Shares are held by trust under Trust Agreement dated January 30, 1970 of which Carol Lewis is the primary beneficiary.
- (3) Voting trust certificates or shares, as the case may be, are held by Carol S. Lewis 2008 Annuity Trust.
- (4) Voting trust certificates or shares, as the case may be, are held by Carol S. Lewis, U/A/D January 11, 1999 with Carol S. Lewis.

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