

MOLBERT LAURIS N  
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**FORM 4**

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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 \*  
MOLBERT LAURIS N

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
215 S CASCADE ST  
(Street)

FERGUS FALLS, MN 56537-2801

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
Otter Tail Corp [OTTR]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
11/17/2010

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
COO & Exec Vice Pres

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Stock	11/17/2010		S <sup>(1)</sup>		800	D	\$ 20.4 65,489
Common Stock	11/17/2010		S <sup>(1)</sup>		600	D	\$ 20.41 64,889
Common Stock	11/17/2010		S <sup>(1)</sup>		7,114	D	\$ 20.415 57,775
Common Stock	11/17/2010		S <sup>(1)</sup>		500	D	\$ 20.42 57,275
Common Stock	11/17/2010		S <sup>(1)</sup>		100	D	\$ 20.43 57,175

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Common Stock	11/17/2010	<u>S<sup>(1)</sup></u>	1,500	D	\$ 20.435	55,675	D	
Common Stock	11/17/2010	<u>S<sup>(1)</sup></u>	400	D	\$ 20.44	55,275	D	
Common Stock	11/17/2010	<u>S<sup>(1)</sup></u>	2,300	D	\$ 20.45	52,975	D	
Common Stock	11/17/2010	<u>S<sup>(1)</sup></u>	1,000	D	\$ 20.46	51,975	D	
Common Stock	11/17/2010	<u>S<sup>(1)</sup></u>	500	D	\$ 20.47	51,475	D	
Common Stock	11/17/2010	<u>S<sup>(1)</sup></u>	400	D	\$ 20.48	51,075	D	
Common Stock	11/17/2010	<u>S<sup>(1)</sup></u>	100	D	\$ 20.495	50,975	D	
Common Stock	11/17/2010	<u>S<sup>(1)</sup></u>	270	D	\$ 20.5	50,705	D	
Common Stock	11/17/2010	<u>S<sup>(1)</sup></u>	30	D	\$ 20.51	50,675	D	
Common Stock	11/18/2010	<u>S<sup>(1)</sup></u>	200	D	\$ 20.6	50,475	D	
Common Stock	11/18/2010	<u>S<sup>(1)</sup></u>	100	D	\$ 20.61	50,375	D	
Common Stock	11/18/2010	<u>S<sup>(1)</sup></u>	1,200	D	\$ 20.64	49,175	D	
Common Stock	11/18/2010	<u>S<sup>(1)</sup></u>	20,450	D	\$ 20.65	28,725	D	
Common Stock	11/18/2010	<u>S<sup>(1)</sup></u>	5,237	D	\$ 20.66	23,488	D	
Common Stock	11/18/2010	<u>S<sup>(1)</sup></u>	2,176	D	\$ 20.67	21,312	D	
Common Stock	11/18/2010	<u>S<sup>(1)</sup></u>	1,237	D	\$ 20.68	20,075	D	
Common Stock	11/18/2010	<u>S<sup>(1)</sup></u>	1,492	D	\$ 20.69	18,583	D	
Common Stock	11/18/2010	<u>S<sup>(1)</sup></u>	708	D	\$ 20.7	17,875	D	
Common Stock	11/18/2010	<u>S<sup>(1)</sup></u>	200	D	\$ 20.71	17,675 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	
Common Stock						246,1574	I	ESOP

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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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

**Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MOLBERT LAURIS N 215 S CASCADE ST FERGUS FALLS, MN 56537-2801			COO & Exec Vice Pres	

**Signatures**

/s/ Lauris N Molbert by Debra J Lill, Attorney-in-Fact  
 11/19/2010  
 \_\_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) All sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1(c) trading plan adopted by the reporting person and his wife Jane Grove on 11/12/2010.
- (2) Total direct holdings remaining represents Restricted Stock Awards.

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