

BARNES GROUP INC  
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 \*  
CARPENTER EDMUND M

(Last) (First) (Middle)

BARNES GROUP INC., 123 MAIN STREET

(Street)

BRISTOL, CT 06011-0489

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
BARNES GROUP INC [B]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
02/25/2005

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)

President & CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
|                                 |                                      |  | Code                           | V   | Amount  | (A) or (D)   | Price   |
| Common Stock                    | 02/25/2005                           |  | M                              |   | 46,874  | A  | \$ 25.79  |
| Common Stock                    | 02/25/2005                           |  | F                              |   | 46,276  | D  | \$ 26.28  |
| Common Stock                    | 02/25/2005                           |  | M                              |   | 19,405  | A  | \$ 25.79  |
| Common Stock                    | 02/25/2005                           |  | F                              |   | 19,158  | D  | \$ 26.28  |
| Common Stock                    | 02/25/2005                           |  | M                              |   | 4,041   | A  | \$ 25.79  |

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|              |            |   |       |   |          |                        |   |                               |
|--------------|------------|---|-------|---|----------|------------------------|---|-------------------------------|
| Common Stock | 02/25/2005 | F | 3,990 | D | \$ 26.28 | 479,244 <sup>(1)</sup> | D |                               |
| Common Stock |            |   |       |   |          | 5,247.5523             | I | By Employee Stk Purchase Plan |
| Common Stock |            |   |       |   |          | 5,369.646              | I | By 401(k) Plan                |

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 Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|
|  |  |                                      |  | Code                           | V (A) (D)   | Date Exercisable Expiration Date                         | Title   |
| Employee Stk Option-Right to Buy           | \$ 25.79   | 02/25/2005                           |  | M                              | 46,874  | <sup>(2)</sup> 02/06/2011                                | Common Stock                                      |
| Employee Stk Option-Right to Buy           | \$ 26.28   | 02/25/2005                           |  | A                              | 46,276  | 02/25/2005 02/06/2011                                    | Common Stock                                      |
| Employee Stk Option-Right to Buy           | \$ 25.79   | 02/25/2005                           |  | M                              | 19,405  | <sup>(2)</sup> 02/06/2011                                | Common Stock                                      |
| Employee Stk Option-Right to Buy           | \$ 26.28   | 02/25/2005                           |  | A                              | 19,158  | 02/25/2005 02/06/2011                                    | Common Stock                                      |
| Employee Stk Option-Right to Buy           | \$ 25.79   | 02/25/2005                           |  | M                              | 4,041   | <sup>(2)</sup> 02/19/2009                                | Common Stock                                      |
| Employee Stk Option-Right to Buy           | \$ 26.28   | 02/25/2005                           |  | A                              | 3,990   | 02/25/2005 02/19/2009                                    | Common Stock                                      |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |                 |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|-----------------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer         | Other |
| CARPENTER EDMUND M<br>BARNES GROUP INC.<br>123 MAIN STREET<br>BRISTOL, CT 06011-0489 |               |           | President & CEO |       |

## Signatures

|  |                     |
|--|---------------------|
| Signe S. Gates, pursuant to a Power<br>of Atty | 02/28/2005          |
| <small>**Signature of Reporting Person</small> | <small>Date</small> |

## 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) Includes 45,000 Restricted Stock Units and 45,000 Performance Share Units granted 2/12/2003, and 25,000 Restricted Stock Units and 24,000 Performance Share Units granted 4/14/2004 that are subject to forfeiture if certain events occur.
- (2) The options vest 100% immediately on 11/19/2004.
- (3) 1 for 1.

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