### **CATERPILLAR INC**

Form 4

November 04, 2004

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * BLOUNT W FRANK			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CATERRILLAR INC. [CAT]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	CATERPILLAR INC [CAT]  3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
(Edst)	(THSt)	(Wildale)	(Month/Day/Year)	X Director 10% Owner		
1040 STOVAL BOULEVARD, N.E.			11/03/2004	Officer (give title Delow) Other (specify below)		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
ATLANTA, GA 30319				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

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1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	ction Date 2A. Deemed Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Transactiom Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)  (A) or			5. Amount of Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Owned Direct (D) Following or Indirect Reported (I) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount		Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common	11/03/2004		M	4,000	A	\$ 33.4687	10,021	D	
Common	11/03/2004		M	4,000	A	\$ 39.1875	14,021	D	
Common	11/03/2004		S	7,700	D	\$ 83.77	6,321	D	
Common	11/03/2004		S	200	D	\$ 83.8	6,121	D	
Common	11/03/2004		S	100	D	\$ 83.81	6,021 (1)	D	

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on f Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	ative Expiration Date s (Month/Day/Year) d		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (2)	\$ 33.4687	11/03/2004		M	4,000	(3)	04/10/2006	Common	4,000
Employee Stock Option (2)	\$ 39.1875	11/03/2004		M	4,000	(3)	04/09/2007	Common	4,000

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
BLOUNT W FRANK							
040 STOVAL BOLLEVARD N.F.	$\mathbf{Y}$						

## **Signatures**

ATLANTA, GA 30319

В

W. Frank Blount; L.J. Huxtable, POA

\*\*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) This amount includes 171 dividend reinvestment shares.
- (2) (Right to Buy) with tandem tax withholding rights.
- (3) Exercisable in thirds 1/3 after 1 yr.; 1/3 after 2 yrs.; 1/3 after 3 yrs.

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