CURLER JEFFREY H

Form 4

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Section 16.

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

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

See Instruction 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

	CURLER J	EFFREY H		Symbol BEMIS	CO INC	[BMS]	1140	5	Issuer	1 11 11	
	(Last)	(First)	(Middle)		f Earliest Ti Day/Year)	ansaction			_X_ Director	neck all applica	ole) 0% Owner
ONE NEENAH CENTER, 4TH FLOOR, P.O. BOX 669			11/24/2008					_X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chairman of the Board			
	NEENAH	(Street)			endment, Da nth/Day/Year		ıl		6. Individual or Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed b	•	Person
	NEENAH, (City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-D) Perivative	Secui	rities Ac	Person equired, Disposed		
	1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction I (Month/Day/Ye	ear) Execution	med on Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	on(A) or Da (D) (Instr. 3,	ispose	d of	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)
	Common Stock	11/24/2008			M	6,670 (11)	A	\$ 25.8	759,965	D	
	Common Stock								30,515	I (1)	401(k) Plan
	Common Stock								105,547	I (2)	Children
	Common								300 000	I (3)	1/6th interest - Limited

Partnership Family Trust

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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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Stacquired (A Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4,	Securities A) or f (D)	6. Date Exercisable and ies Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Common Stock	<u>(4)</u>	01/28/2004		A	106,000	(D)	12/31/2008(6)	12/31/2008	Common Stock
Common Stock	<u>(4)</u>	01/01/2005		A	123,000		12/31/2009(7)	12/31/2009	Common Stock
Common Stock	<u>(4)</u>	01/02/2006		A	130,000		12/31/2010(8)	12/31/2010	Common Stock
Common Stock	<u>(4)</u>	01/03/2007		A	112,000		12/31/2011(9)	12/31/2011	Common Stock
Common Stock	<u>(4)</u>	01/02/2008		A	38,847		12/31/2012(10)	12/31/2012	Common Stock
Common Stock	\$ 18.8125	01/01/1999	11/24/2008	M		43,352 (11)	<u>(12)</u>	12/31/2008	Common Stock
Common Stock	\$ 17.4375	01/01/2000		A	61,126		(12)	12/31/2009	Common Stock
Common Stock	\$ 18.8125	05/03/2000		A	200,000		(12)	05/03/2010	Common Stock
Common Stock	\$ 16.7813	01/01/2001		A	122,146		(12)	12/31/2010	Common Stock
Common Stock	\$ 24.59	01/01/2002		A	53,872		(12)	12/31/2011	Common Stock
Common Stock	\$ 24.815	01/02/2003		A	82,282		(12)	12/31/2012	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			

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CURLER JEFFREY H ONE NEENAH CENTER, 4TH FLOOR P.O. BOX 669 NEENAH, WI 54957

Chairman of the Board

Signatures

J J Seifert Power of Attorney

11/25/2008

X

**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) No price necessary for Edgar Filing Company 401(k) Plan.
- (2) Reporting Person is Trustee of Trust for one Dependent Child.
 - Reporting Person has an undivided 1/6th interest in a Limited Partnership Family Trust which was established December 2000.
- (3) Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of Bemis Common Stock held by the Family Limited Partnership except to the extent of his 1/6th interest.
- (4) Security converts to Common Stock on a one-for-one basis on date of conversion.
- (5) Will know price on the date of conversion.
- Award under Bemis Time Accelerated Restricted Stock Appreciation Program (TARSAP) exempt under Rule 16b-3: Grant to Reporting
- (6) Person of right to receive stock as of December 31, 2008, or if certain performance targets are met by the Company on December 31, 2006.
- Award under Bemis Time Accelerated Restricted Stock Appreciation Program (TARSAP) exempt under Rule 16b-3: Grant to Reporting (7) Person of right to receive stock as of December 31, 2009, or if certain performance targets are met by the Company on December 31, 2007.
- Award under Bemis Time Accelerated Restricted Stock Appreciation Program (TARSAP) exempt under Rule 16b-3: Grant to Reporting

 (8) Person of right to receive stock as of December 31, 2010, or if certain performance targets are met by the Company on December 31, 2008
- Award under Bemis Time Accelerated Restricted Stock Appreciation Program (TARSAP) exempt under Rule 16b-3: Grant to Reporting (9) Person of right to receive stock as of December 31, 2011, or if certain performance targets are met by the Company on December 31, 2009.
- Award under Bemis Time Accelerated Restricted Stock Appreciation Program (TARSAP) exempt under Rule 16b-3: Grant to Reporting (10) Person of right to receive stock as of December 31, 2012, or if certain performance targets are met by the Company on December 31, 2010.
- (11) Exercise of option to purchase 43,352 shares. Reporting Person attested to ownership of 31,610 shares to cover the cost of exercise and requested the Company to use 5,072 shares to cover withholding taxes, resulting in the issuance of 6,670 shares to Reporting Person.
- (12) Stock Option (right to buy) pursuant to Stock Option Plan exempt under Rule 16b-3: Option presently exercisable.
- (13) Will know the price on the date of exercise.

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