WEEKS WENDELL P

Form 4

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OMB APPROVAL FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OMB 3235-0287 Washington, D.C. 20549 Number: Check this box January 31, Expires: if no longer 2005 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF subject to Estimated average **SECURITIES** Section 16. burden hours per Form 4 or response... 0.5 Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction 1(b). (Print or Type Responses) 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Issuer WEEKS WENDELL P Symbol

| | | | CORNING INC /NY [GLW] | (Check all applicable) | | |
|--------------------------------|---------|----------|---------------------------------|---|--|--|
| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction | (Check all application) | | |
| ONE RIVERFRONT PLAZA (Street) | | LAZA | (Month/Day/Year) 12/03/2008 | _X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Chairman & CEO | | |
| | | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check | | |
| | | | Filed(Month/Day/Year) | Applicable Line) | | |

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| CORNING, NY 14831 | | _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person |
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| (City) | (State) | (Zip) Tal | 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. Securiti | ed 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 | 12/03/2008 | | P | 12,000 | A | 8.3584 (1) | 757,588 | D | | | | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | 29,862 | I | Held By Wife (2) | | | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | 6,377.24 | I | Held By Wife - Emp. Ben. Plan | | | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | 10,506.24 | I | Trustee U/employee Benefit Plan | | | |

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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 orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercis Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Y | e | 7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and | Securities |
|---|---|---|---|--|---|---|-----------------|---|----------------------------------|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount of Number of Shares |
| Stock Options (Right to Buy) | \$ 8.67 | 12/03/2008 | | A | 280,000 | 12/03/2009 | 12/02/2018 | Common Stock | 280,000 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|----------------|-------|--|--|--|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| WEEKS WENDELL P ONE RIVERFRONT PLAZA CORNING, NY 14831 | X | | Chairman & CEO | | | | |

Signatures

Denise A. Hauselt, Power of Attorney 12/05/2008

**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).
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$8.29 to \$8.40, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Corning Incorporated, any security holder of Corning Incorporated, or the staff of the SEC, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares purchased at each separate price within the ranges set forth previously in this footnote.
- (2) The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of all securities held by wife.

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