

GOLSEN BARRY H
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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 *
GOLSEN BARRY H

(Last) (First) (Middle)

16 SOUTH PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE

(Street)

OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73107

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
LSB INDUSTRIES INC [LXU]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
12/02/2008

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 and COO

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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock					296,639	D	
Common Stock					653,976	I	By GFLLC <u>(1)</u>
Common Stock	12/02/2008		P	36,700 A	\$ <u>7</u> ⁽⁴⁾	I	By SBL <u>(2)</u>
Common Stock					533	I	By Spouse <u>(3)</u>
Common Stock	12/04/2008		P	12,768 A	\$ <u>6.98</u> ⁽⁴⁾	I	By SBL <u>(2)</u>

Signatures

Jack E. Golsen,
Attorney-in-Fact

12/10/2008

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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Golsen Family, L.L.C. ("GFLLC") is owned by Jack E. Golsen, chief executive officer and chairman of the board of the Issuer, through his revocable trust (45.923%), his spouse, Sylvia Golsen through her revocable trust (45.923%), his sons, Barry H. Golsen, a director and (1) the president of the Issuer (2.718%), and Steven J. Golsen, executive officer of a subsidiary of the Issuer (2.718%), and his daughter, Linda F. Rappaport (2.718%). The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the Issuer securities held by GFLLC, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

SBL, LLC (?SBL?) is owned by GFLLC (49%), Steven Golsen (17%), Linda Rappaport (17%), and the reporting person (17%). Golsen Petroleum Corporation (?GPC?) is a wholly owned subsidiary of SBL. The amount shown in Table I includes 1,632,099 shares owned by (2) SBL and 283,955 shares owned directly by GPC, and the amount shown in Table II includes 12,000 shares of the Issuer's Series B Preferred owned by SBL and 4,000 shares of the Issuer's Series B Preferred owned directly by GPC. Voting and dispositive power over the securities held by SBL and GPC is possessed by Jack E. Golsen, who is the chief executive officer and chairman of the board of the Issuer, and the reporting person, a director and the president of the Issuer.

(3) These shares of common stock are owned of record by the reporting person's wife. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares owned by his wife.

On December 2, 2008, SBL purchased a total of 36,700 shares of the Issuer's common stock at \$7.00 per share. On December 4, 2008, SBL purchased a total of 12,768 shares of the Issuer's common stock at the weighted average price per share of \$6.98, which is based on (4) the following purchases of the Issuer's common stock at the respective price per share: (a) \$6.88 ? 300 shares, (b) \$6.89 ? 300 shares, (c) \$6.90 ? 200 shares, (d) \$6.91 ? 100 shares, (e) \$6.92 ? 100 shares, (f) \$6.93 ? 500 shares, (g) \$6.94 ? 300 shares, (h) \$6.95 ? 100 shares, (i) \$6.96 ? 600 shares, (j) \$6.97 ? 743 shares, (k) \$6.98 ? 400 shares, (l) \$6.99 ? 100 shares, and (m) \$7.00 ? 9,025 shares. On December 5, 2008, SBL purchased a total of 10,532 shares of the Issuer's common stock at \$7.00 per share.

This amount is the principal amount of the Issuer's 5.5% Convertible Senior Subordinated Debentures due 2012 (the "Debentures") held by the reporting person. The Debentures are convertible at the option of the holder in whole or in part into the Issuer's common stock (5) prior to their maturity. The conversion rate of the Debentures is 36.4 shares of the Issuer's common stock per \$1,000 principal amount of debentures (representing a conversion price of \$27.47 per share of common stock), subject to adjustment under certain conditions as set forth in the Indenture, dated June 28, 2007 (the "Indenture"), by the Issuer in favor of UMB Bank, N.A., as Trustee, filed as Exhibit 4.2 to the Issuer's Form 8-K on June 29, 2007. The Debentures bear interest at the rate of 5.5% per year and mature on July 1, 2012.

(6) Each share of the Issuer's Series "B" 12% Cumulative Preferred Stock is convertible, at the option of the holder into 33.3333 shares of the Issuer's common stock. Each share is convertible as long as such is outstanding.

(7) The Issuer's Series "D" 6% Cumulative, Convertible Class C Preferred Stock is convertible at the option of the holder into the Issuer's common stock at the rate of four shares of Preferred "D" for one share of common stock. Each share is convertible as long as such is outstanding.

(8) Nonqualified Stock Options ("NQSO") granted by the Issuer to the reporting person. All NQSOs held by the reporting person are currently exercisable. As of the date of this report, the total number of shares underlying the NQSOs held by the reporting person is 11,250.

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