FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* WATSON STEVEN L					CON	Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol COMPX INTERNATIONAL INC [CIX] Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)								(Ch	eck all ap X Dire	olicable) ctor	10%	Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner Other (specify below)	
(Last)	(Fir	, , ,			05/16/2006											Officer (give title below)			
5430 LBJ FREEWAY SUIT 1700					4. If A	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)				
(Street)	TX	7.	5240													n filed by Moi	e Reporting Pre than One F		
(City)	(Sta	ate) (Z	ľip)																
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transacti Date (Month/Day						Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acquired Disposed Of (D) (Instr. and 5)						Secur	ities Ficially (I	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		
								Code	v	Amount (A)		A) or ()	Price	Repo Trans		(mau: 4)	(111341. 4)		
Class A Common Stock \$0.01 par value 05/16/20					2006		A ⁽¹⁾		1,000		Α	(1)		7,000	D				
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)	erivative Conversion Date Execution ecurity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any				Code (Ir	Fransaction Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Expiration Date Expiration Date			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr 3 and 4) Amount or Numbr of Title Shares		tr.	. Price of Derivative Security Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownersh Form: Direct (D or Indire (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Shares issued for no cash consideration to nonemployee directors under the CompX International Inc. 1997 Long-Term Incentive Plan.

<u>Steven L. Watson</u> <u>05/16/2006</u>

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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