FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Hammonds Paul A						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol QUANEX CORP [NX]										all app	olicable)		Issuer Owner r (specify	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1900 WEST LOOP SOUTH SUITE 1500							3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/05/2007										N) .	belovelopn	v) .	
(Street) HOUSTON TX 77027 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If											Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
		Tabl	e I - Non	n-Deriv	ative	Se	curitie	s Ac	quired	, Dis	posed o	f, or	Ben	eficia	ally (Owne	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						ar) l	Executio if any	A. Deemed xecution Date, any Month/Day/Year)					ties Acquired (A) d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			Securi Benefi	icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
						Code	v	Amount	(A) or D)	Price		Transa	action(s) 3 and 4)		(11341.4)				
Common Stock 03/05/									S		6.902 D		D	\$38	8.93 3,216.		16.9455	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)	vative Conversion Date Execution or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any		3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date, Transaction Code (Instr.		of Derive Security (A) of Disposor (Insti	of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Expiration Exercisable Date			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amoun or Numbe of Title Shares				9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		

Explanation of Responses:

John J. Mannion, Power of Attorney

05/01/2007

** 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).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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