FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] BENATAR LEO						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MOHAWK INDUSTRIES INC [MHK]									elationsh ck all app Direo	olicable)	g Person(s) to 10%	lssuer Owner	
(Last)	``	rst) (Middle)				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/01/2006									Offic belo	er (give title w)	Other	(specify /)	
160 SOUTH INDUSTRIAL BLVD. P.O. BOX 12069					4. If A	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)				
(Street) CALHOUN GA 30703															X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(S	tate) (Zip)																
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transact Date (Month/Day					Execution Date,			Transaction Dispo Code (Instr. and 5		urities Acc sed Of (D)		Secur	icially d	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				
									Code	v	Amou	nt (A) or (D)		Price	Repor Trans		(1150.4)	(Insu: 4)	
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)	if any (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		n Number I		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) Amoun		3 of De Se (Ir	Price erivative ecurity hstr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(: (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	de V		(D)	Date Exercisable	Exp Dat	oiration te	Title	or Numi of Share						
Phantom Stock	\$ 0	01/01/2006			Α		265		(1)		(2)	Common Stock	26	5	\$84.66	848	D		

Explanation of Responses:

1. TO BE PAID IN CASH OR STOCK UPON TERMINATION AS A DIRECTOR.

2. To be paid in cash or stock upon Termination as a Director.

LEO BENATAR

01/04/2006

** 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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