

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>TEPPER MICHAEL DAWE</u>  (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>16 SOUTH PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE</u>  (Street) <u>OKLAHOMA OK 73107</u>  (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>LSB INDUSTRIES INC [ LXU ]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <u>Sr. VP-Int'l Operations</u>
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>12/16/2008</u>	
		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock								2,000	D	
Common Stock	12/16/2008		S		5,600	D	\$9.05 <sup>(1)</sup>	53,855	I	By Trust <sup>(2)</sup>
Common Stock	12/17/2008		S		5,000	D	\$9.49 <sup>(1)</sup>	48,855	I	By Trust <sup>(2)</sup>

**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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date					
Nonqualified Stock Option <sup>(3)</sup>	\$1.25							07/08/1999	07/08/2009	Common Stock		50,000	D	

**Explanation of Responses:**

- On December 16, 2008, the reporting person sold a total of 5,600 shares of the Issuer's common stock at the weighted average price per share of \$9.05, which is based on the following sales of the Issuer's common stock at the respective price per share: (a) \$9.00 - 5,000 shares, and (b) \$9.43 - 600 shares. On December 17, 2008, the reporting person sold a total of 5,000 shares of the Issuer's common stock at \$9.49 per share.
- These shares are held by the reporting person's revocable trust, of which the reporting person is the trustee and exercises investment and dispositive control over the trust's portfolio securities.
- Nonqualified Stock Option ("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 50,000.

**Remarks:**

Michael Dawe Tepper 12/18/2008  
 \*\* 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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