FORM 3

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  WEDEMEYER PHIL D			2. Date of Event Requiring Staten Month/Day/Year	nent	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol POWELL INDUSTRIES INC [ powl ]							
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	06/02/2003		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		(1	If Amendment, Date of Original Filed lonth/Day/Year)				
(Street)					X Director Officer (give title below)	10% Owner Other (specify below)		Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     Form filed by One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)						Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned												
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)				1 -	. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)			4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)				
Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)												
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		nstr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securi Underlying Derivative Securi		4. Conversion	cise Form: Direct (D) ve or Indirect	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)			
		Date Exercisable	Expiratior Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security						

**Explanation of Responses:** 

Phil D. Wedemeyer

06/11/2003

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5 (b)(v).
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