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FORM 4

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

 Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16.
 Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue.
 See Instruction 1(b).

Name and Address of Reporting Person* (Last, First, Middle)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (Voluntary) ###-##-#####
Wolny, Ronald, J	Powell Industries Inc (powl)	
	4. Statement for Month/Day/Year	5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)
PO Box 1703	03/10/2003	_
(Street)	6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check All Applicable)	7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
Medina, TX 78055	X Director 0 10% Owner	$_{ m X}~$ Form filed by One Reporting Person
(City) (State) (Zip)	O Officer (give title below)	O Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
(2.5)	O Other (specify below)	
	Powell Industries, Inc.	

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).

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)			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 Transactions(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownershi (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	(A) or Amount (D) Pric	ce			

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 Section Acquired (A) or Disposed (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	
									Code V		(A)	(D)
	Shadow Stock		(1)		03/06/2003		03/06/2003		A		57.85	
	Shadow Stock		(1)		03/07/2003		03/07/2003		A		144.20	

$\label{lem:continued} \textbf{Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned - Continued} \\ \textit{(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)}$

6.	Date Exercisabl Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea	2	7.	Title and Ai of Underlyii (Instr. 3 and	ng Securities	8.	Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9.	Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially O Following Reported Tra (Instr. 4)	wned	10.	Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11.	Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		Title	Amount or Number of Shares									
	(2)	(2)		Common Stock	57.85		13.83					D		
	(2)	(2)		Common Stock	144.20		13.87		202.05(3	3)		D		

Explanation of Responses:

(1) Shadow Stock Units were granted in payment of director's fees at the fair market value of the Common Stock on the date of the grant of the Shadow Stock Units. Shadow Stock Units automatically convert without further payment to shares of Common Stock at the expiration of the deferral period. Fractional shares are not issued. (2) Various: Upon retirement from the Board of Directors or specified deferral term. (3) Represents number of shares benefically owned as of March 10, 2003.

Ronald J. Wolny	3/10/2003
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

^{**} 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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