QUANEX CORP Form 4 April 11, 2008

### FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * BARGER DONALD G JR |          |          | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading<br>Symbol<br>QUANEX CORP [NX] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)                             |  |  |
|--|----------|----------|--|--|--|--|
| (Last)   | (First)  | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction                                    | (Check an applicable)  |  |  |
| 1900 WEST LOOP SOUTH, SUITE 1500                             |          | H, SUITE | (Month/Day/Year)<br>12/31/2002                                     | XDirector 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)                                 |  |  |
|  | (Street) |          | 4. If Amendment, Date Original                                     | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  |  |  |
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| (City)                               | (State)                                 | (Zip) Tabl  | le I - Non-l                                      | Derivative S   | ecurit           | ies Acqui   | red, Disposed of,  | or Beneficial                                 | y Owned   |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|---|----------------|------------------|-------------|--|---|---|
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | on Date, if Transactiomr Dispo<br>Code (Instr. 3, |                |                  |             | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|                                      |   |   | Code V  | Amount         | (A)<br>or<br>(D) | Price       | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)  | (Instr. 4)                                    |   |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 12/31/2002(1)                           |   | J <u>(1)</u>                                      | 39.4271<br>(1) | A                | <u>(1)</u>  | 4,109.7606   | D   |   |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 01/02/2003                              |   | J(2)  | 5.4204         | A                | \$ 33.8     | 4,115.181  | D   |   |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 06/30/2003                              |   | J(2)  | 2.833          | A                | \$ 30       | 4,118.014  | D   |   |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 09/30/2003                              |   | J(2)  | 2.53           | A                | \$<br>33.79 | 4,120.544  | D   |   |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 12/30/2003                              |   | J <u>(2)</u>                                      | 1.812          | A                | \$<br>47.41 | 4,122.356  | D   |   |

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| 03/31/2004 | <u>J(2)</u>  | 4.059  | A  | \$<br>42.18   | 4,126.415   | D   |
|------------|--|--|--|---|---|---|
| 06/30/2004 | J(2)   | 3.522  | A  | \$<br>48.81   | 4,129.937   | D   |
| 09/30/2004 | J(2)   | 3.751  | A  | \$ 51.4   | 4,133.688   | D   |
| 01/05/2005 | J(2)   | 5.481  | A  | \$<br>45.57   | 4,139.169   | D   |
| 04/05/2005 | J(2)   | 4.655  | A  | \$<br>53.79   | 4,143.824   | D   |
| 07/06/2005 | J(2)   | 3.931  | A  | \$<br>52.82   | 4,147.755   | D   |
| 10/05/2005 | J(2)   | 1.733  | A  | \$<br>67.08   | 4,149.488   | D   |
| 10/05/2005 | J(2)   | 3.562  | A  | \$<br>67.09   | 4,153.05  | D   |
| 12/30/2005 | J(2)   | 6.053  | A  | \$<br>50.68   | 4,159.103   | D   |
| 04/05/2006 | J(2)   | 8.085  | A  | \$ 44.2   | 4,167.188   | D   |
| 07/06/2006 | J(2)   | 8.449  | A  | \$<br>42.41   | 4,175.637   | D   |
| 10/04/2006 | J(2)   | 13.713   | A  | \$<br>30.57   | 4,189.35  | D   |
|            | 06/30/2004<br>09/30/2004<br>01/05/2005<br>04/05/2005<br>10/05/2005<br>10/05/2005<br>12/30/2005<br>04/05/2006<br>07/06/2006 | $06/30/2004$ $J^{(2)}$ $09/30/2004$ $J^{(2)}$ $01/05/2005$ $J^{(2)}$ $04/05/2005$ $J^{(2)}$ $07/06/2005$ $J^{(2)}$ $10/05/2005$ $J^{(2)}$ $12/30/2005$ $J^{(2)}$ $04/05/2006$ $J^{(2)}$ $07/06/2006$ $J^{(2)}$ | $06/30/2004$ $J_{\frac{(2)}{2}}$ $3.522$ $09/30/2004$ $J_{\frac{(2)}{2}}$ $3.751$ $01/05/2005$ $J_{\frac{(2)}{2}}$ $5.481$ $04/05/2005$ $J_{\frac{(2)}{2}}$ $4.655$ $07/06/2005$ $J_{\frac{(2)}{2}}$ $3.931$ $10/05/2005$ $J_{\frac{(2)}{2}}$ $3.562$ $12/30/2005$ $J_{\frac{(2)}{2}}$ $6.053$ $04/05/2006$ $J_{\frac{(2)}{2}}$ $8.085$ $07/06/2006$ $J_{\frac{(2)}{2}}$ $8.449$ | 06/30/2004       J(2)       3.522       A         09/30/2004       J(2)       3.751       A         01/05/2005       J(2)       5.481       A         04/05/2005       J(2)       4.655       A         07/06/2005       J(2)       3.931       A         10/05/2005       J(2)       1.733       A         10/05/2005       J(2)       3.562       A         12/30/2005       J(2)       6.053       A         04/05/2006       J(2)       8.085       A         07/06/2006       J(2)       8.449       A | $\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$ | 06/30/2004       J(2)       3.522       A       \$ 48.81 \\delta 4,129.937 \\delta 88.81 \\delta 4,129.937 \\delta 48.81 \\delta 4,133.688 \\delta 67.005 \delta 5.481 \delta A \delta 51.4 \delta 4,133.688 \\delta 45.57 \delta 4,139.169 \\delta 4/05/2005 \delta 5.481 \delta A \delta 53.79 \delta 4,143.824 \\delta 67/06/2005 \delta 12 \delta 3.931 \delta A \delta 53.79 \delta 4,143.824 \\delta 67/06/2005 \delta 12 \delta 3.931 \delta A \delta 52.82 \delta 4,147.755 \\delta 67.08 \delta 67.08 \delta 4,149.488 \\delta 67.005/2005 \delta 12 \delta 3.562 \delta A \delta 67.09 \delta 4,153.05 \\delta 67.09 \delta 4,153.05 \\delta 67.09 \delta 6.053 \delta A \delta 50.68 \delta 4,159.103 \\delta 64/05/2006 \delta 12 \delta 8.085 \delta A \delta 44.2 \delta 167.188 \\delta 67/06/2006 \delta 12 \delta 8.449 \delta A \delta 4,175.637 \\delta 67/06/2006 \delta 12 \delta 8.449 \delta A \delta 4,175.637 \\delta 67/06/2006 \delta 12 \delta 8.449 \delta A \delta 4,175.637 \delta 67.08 \delta 67.08 \delta 67.08 \delta 67.08 \delta 67.188 \delta 67.08 \delta 67.188 \delta 67.08 \delta 67.188 \delta 67.188 \delta 67.08 \delta 67.188 \delta 67.188 \delta 67.08 \delta 67.08 \delta 67.188 \delta 67.08 \delta 67.188 \delta 67.08 \delta 67.08 \delta 67.188 \delta 67.08 \delta |

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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|-------------|-------------|---------------------|--------------------|------------|------------|-------------------------|------------------|-------------|--------|
| 1. Title of | 2.          | 3. Transaction Date | 3A. Deemed         | 4.         | 5.         | 6. Date Exercisable and | 7. Title and     | 8. Price of | 9. Nu  |
| Derivative  | Conversion  | (Month/Day/Year)    | Execution Date, if | Transactio | onNumber   | Expiration Date         | Amount of        | Derivative  | Deriv  |
| Security    | or Exercise |                     | any                | Code       | of         | (Month/Day/Year)        | Underlying       | Security    | Secui  |
| (Instr. 3)  | Price of    |                     | (Month/Day/Year)   | (Instr. 8) | Derivative | e                       | Securities       | (Instr. 5)  | Bene   |
|             | Derivative  |                     |                    |            | Securities |                         | (Instr. 3 and 4) |             | Owne   |
|             | Security    |                     |                    |            | Acquired   |                         |                  |             | Follo  |
|             |             |                     |                    |            | (A) or     |                         |                  |             | Repo   |
|             |             |                     |                    |            | Disposed   |                         |                  |             | Trans  |
|             |             |                     |                    |            | of (D)     |                         |                  |             | (Instr |
|             |             |                     |                    |            | (Instr. 3, |                         |                  |             |        |
|             |             |                     |                    |            | 4, and 5)  |                         |                  |             |        |
|             |             |                     |                    | Code V     | (A) (D)    |                         | Title            |             |        |

Date Expiration Exercisable Date

Amount or Number of Shares

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BARGER DONALD G JR
1900 WEST LOOP SOUTH
SUITE 1500
HOUSTON, TX 77027

### **Signatures**

/s/ John J. Mannion, Power of Attorney

04/11/2008

Date

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* 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).
  - Mr. Barger received an aggregate of 39.4271 shares of Quanex common stock as a result of certain dividend reinvestment and other
- (1) transactions occurring on various dates prior to December 31, 2002. No records are available for these transactions and the specific dates of purchase, specific purchase prices, and specific share amounts related to each transaction are therefore unknown.
- (2) Shares acquired through dividend reinvestment.

#### **Remarks:**

12/31/2002 represents the earliest date for which records are available.

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