

HERBERT JAMES L
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
HERBERT JAMES L

(Last) (First) (Middle)
NEOGEN CORP, 620 LESHER PLACE
(Street)

LANSING, MI 48912

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
NEOGEN CORP [NEOG]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
08/13/2009

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
Chairman & CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | Code | V | Amount (A) or Price (D) | | |
| Common Stock | 08/13/2009 | | M | | 1,200 A \$ 13.63 | 544,018 | D |
| Common Stock | 08/13/2009 | | F | | 583 D \$ 28.03 | 543,435 | D |
| Common Stock | 08/13/2009 | | M | | 360 A \$ 12.27 | 543,795 | D |
| Common Stock | 08/13/2009 | | F | | 157 D \$ 28.03 | 543,638 | D |
| Common Stock | 08/13/2009 | | M | | 1,500 A \$ 13.53 | 545,138 | D |

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|--------------|------------|---|-----|---|----------|---------|---|------------------|
| Common Stock | 08/13/2009 | F | 724 | D | \$ 28.03 | 544,414 | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | 129,547 | I | See Footnote (1) |

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

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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 (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|--|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 13.63 | 08/13/2009 | | M | 1,200 | (2) 12/21/2009 | Common Stock | 1,200 |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 12.27 | 08/13/2009 | | M | 360 | (3) 10/31/2010 | Common Stock | 360 |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 13.53 | 08/13/2009 | | M | 1,500 | (4) 11/03/2011 | Common Stock | 1,500 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |

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620 LESHAR PLACE
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Chairman & CEO

Signatures

Richard R. Current
(attorney-in-fact)

08/14/2009

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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).
- (1) 129,547 shares are held in a trust for the benefit of Mr. Herbert's wife Judith Herbert.
 - (2) The options were granted 12/21/04 and became exercisable 20% yearly beginning 12/21/05.
 - (3) The options were granted 10/31/05 and became exercisable 20% yearly beginning 10/31/06
 - (4) The options were granted 11/3/06 and became exercisable 20% yearly beginning 11/3/07

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