

FEDERAL SIGNAL CORP /DE/
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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 *
LATHAM KAREN

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
FEDERAL SIGNAL CORP /DE/ [fss]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
1415 WEST 22ND STREET, SUITE 1100
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
02/10/2005

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
VP and Treasurer

OAK BROOK, IL 60523

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

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 (D) Price			
Common Stock	02/10/2005		A	2,600 (1) A \$ 0	10,725 (2)	D	

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)

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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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 16.01	02/10/2005		A	7,400	(3) 02/10/2015	Common Stock	7,400 \$

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
LATHAM KAREN 1415 WEST 22ND STREET SUITE 1100 OAK BROOK, IL 60523			VP and Treasurer	

Signatures

Jennifer L. Sherman, attorney in fact for Karen Latham
Date: 02/14/2005

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) This represents a restricted stock award. All 2,600 awards vest on 2/15/2008.

(2) Some shares subject to restrictions and forfeiture under Company Stock Benefit Plan.

(3) Option becomes exercisable as to 2,466 shares on 2/10/2006, 2,467 shares on 2/10/2007 and the remaining 2,467 shares on 2/10/2008.

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