RBC Bearings INC Form 4 October 18, 2007

FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * CROWELL RICHARD R	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol RBC Bearings INC [ROLL]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 102 WILLENBROCK ROAD, ONE TRIBOLOGY CENTER	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/16/2007	(Check all applicable) _X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)		
OXFORD, CT US 06478	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative	Secui	rities Acquir	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y 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. Securit or Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of (` ′	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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	10/16/2007		A	2,500	A	\$ 8	46,760 (1)	D	
Common Stock	10/16/2007		A	12,500	A	\$ 12	59,260 (1)	D	
Common Stock	10/16/2007		S	7,500	D	\$ 40.701	51,760 (1)	D	
Common Stock	10/17/2007		S	7,500	D	\$ 40.8255	44,260 (1)	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)

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration Date U		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$8	10/16/2007		X	2,500	06/06/2004	06/06/2014	Common Stock	2,500
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 12	10/16/2007		X	12,500	04/01/2002	04/01/2012	Common Stock	12,500
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 15.33					11/08/2005	11/08/2015	Common Stock	2,500
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 21.03					07/13/2007	07/13/2013	Common Stock	2,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
CROWELL RICHARD R 102 WILLENBROCK ROAD ONE TRIBOLOGY CENTER OXFORD, CT US 06478	X					

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Thomas J. Williams 10/18/2007

**Signature of Date
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).
- (1) 333 of the reported Common Stock are Restricted Shares. The restrictions lapse in accordance with the following schedule: 1/2 lapse on 7/13/08 and 1/2 lapse on 7/14/08. Unvested shares of Restricted Stock (i) may be immediately forfeited to the Company at the time the grantee ceases to be an officer or employee of, or otherwise ceases to perform services for, the Company or its subsidiaries under certain circumstances or (ii) may vest upon the happening of certain events.
- (2) Options to purchase shares of Common Stock are subject to the following vesting schedule: 1/3 vest on 7/13/07, 1/3 vest on 7/13/08 and 1/3/ vest on 7/13/09

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