FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* MADDEN MICHAEL D						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>STRATUS PROPERTIES INC</u> [STRS]									Relationship neck all app X Direc	,		son(s) to I 10% O	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1285 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/27/2010										Officer (give title below)		Other (below)	specify
35TH FLOOR						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ine) X Form filed by One Reporting Person				
(Street) NEW YORK NY 10019															Form	Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(S ⁻	tate) (Zip)																	
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) or 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) Date (Month/						2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			, Transac Code (In		4. Securities Acquired Disposed Of (D) (Instr. and 5)				Securi Benefi Owned	ties cially I	6. Ownersnip Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
									Code	v	Amoun	t (A (D) or)	Price	Follow Report Transa (Instr.		linstr	. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Common Stock 05/27/2)10			М		2,50	0	A	\$ <mark>9.3</mark>	8 3	3,500		D	
Common Stock 05/27/2									М		2,50	0	A	\$ <mark>9.8</mark>	7 6	6,000		D	
Common Stock 05/27/20)10			М		2,50	0	A	\$8.5	5 8	,500		D	
	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)	ecurity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			on Date, Transa Code (I					6. Date Exercisable an Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		r. 3	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	y D (1 (1	0. Ownership Form: Direct (D) r Indirect) (Instr.)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		xpiration ate	Title	or	ount mber ares					
Option (right to buy)	\$9.38	05/27/2010			М	м		2,500	09/01/2001(1	1) <mark>0</mark> 9	0/01/2010	Commo Stock	ⁿ 2,5	500	\$0	0		D	
Option (right to buy)	\$9.87	05/27/2010			М			2,500	09/01/2002 ⁽²	2) <mark>0</mark> 9	0/01/2011	Commo Stock	ⁿ 2,5	500	\$0	0		D	
Option (right to buy)	\$8.55	05/27/2010			М			2,500	09/01/2003 ⁽³	⁵⁾ 09	0/01/2012	Commo Stock	ⁿ 2,5	500	\$0	0		D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. 25% exercisable on the date indicated and 25% exercisable on each of the next three anniversaries thereof.

2. 25% exercisable on the date indicated and 25% exercisable on each of the next three anniversaries thereof.

3. 25% exercisable on the date indicated and 25% exercisable on each of the next three anniversaries thereof.

Kelly Simoneaux on behalf of
Michael D. Madden pursuant05/28/2010to a power of attorney05/28/2010

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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).

** 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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