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 STRATUS PROPERTIES INC [STRS]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner					
(Last)	, , , , , ,					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/01/2007								Officer (give title below)		Other (below)		
1285 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS 35TH FLOOR					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person					
(Street) NEW YORK NY 10019													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. Transact Date (Month/Day					Execution Date,			Code (Ins	Transaction Dis Code (Instr. and		eurities Acquired (A) (Instr. 3, 4)		Sec Ber Ow	amount of urities reficially ned lowing	For (D) Indi	m: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
								Code	v	Amoun	t (A) (D)	or Pric	Rep Tra	oorted nsaction(s) str. 3 and 4)	ed ction(s)			
	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	Code (Ir	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		er ative ities ired sed 3, 5)	Expiration D	. Date Exercisable an ixpiration Date Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactic (Instr. 4)	ly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Ex Da	piration te	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Options (right to buy)	\$32.85	09/01/2007		A		2,500		09/01/2008 ⁽¹⁾	09	/01/2017	Common Stock	2,500	\$0	2,500		D		

Explanation of Responses:

1. 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 pursuant
to a power of attorney09/04/2007

** 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).

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