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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* <u>WHITMIRE C DONALD JR</u> <hr/> (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>1615 POYDRAS STREET</u> <hr/> (Street) <u>NEW ORLEANS LA 70112</u> <hr/> (City) (State) (Zip)			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>STRATUS PROPERTIES INC [STRS]</u>			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <u>Vice President - Controller</u>		
			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>09/07/2006</u>			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)					

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	09/07/2006		M		5,000	A	\$12.38	5,500	D	
Common Stock	09/07/2006		M		2,000	A	\$9.44	7,500	D	
Common Stock	09/07/2006		M		1,000	A	\$8.45	8,500	D	
Common Stock	09/07/2006		M		375	A	\$9.25	8,875	D	
Common Stock	09/07/2006		S		8,375	D	\$28.5	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)	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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date						Title
Option (right to buy)	\$12.38	09/07/2006		M			5,000	05/14/1999 ⁽¹⁾	05/14/2008	Common Stock	5,000	\$0	0	D	
Option (right to buy)	\$9.44	09/07/2006		M			2,000	12/21/2001 ⁽²⁾	12/21/2010	Common Stock	2,000	\$0	0	D	
Option (right to buy)	\$8.45	09/07/2006		M			1,000	01/17/2003 ⁽³⁾	01/17/2012	Common Stock	1,000	\$0	0	D	
Option (right to buy)	\$9.25	09/07/2006		M			375	12/17/2003 ⁽⁴⁾	12/17/2012	Common Stock	375	\$0	125	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 25% exercisable on the date indicated and 25% exercisable on each of the next three anniversaries thereof.
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Kelly C. Simoneaux, on behalf
of C. Donald Whitmire, Jr. 09/08/2006
pursuant to a power of
attorney

** 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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