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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(City)

(State)

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1. Name and Addr MOUG KEVIN	-	ng Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol OTTER TAIL CORP [OTTR]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction				
215 S CASCADE ST			(Month/Day/Year) 10/29/2007	Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specification) below) CFO & Treasurer			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
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(City)	(State) (Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securi	ties A	cquired	5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of	
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	on(A) or D	ispose	d of (D)	Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect	
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(Instr. 3,	4 and	5)	Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year) (I					Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership	
							Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
					(4)		Reported			
					(A)		Transaction(s)			
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	10/29/2007		A	2,700	A	\$ 35.84	2,700 (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)

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1.	Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exer	cisable and	7. Titl	le and	8. Price of	9. Nu
D	erivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	onNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	ınt of	Derivative	Deriv
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							Lacicisable	Date		of		
					Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MOUG KEVIN G
215 S CASCADE ST
FERGUS FALLS, MN 56537-2801

CFO &
Treasurer

Signatures

/s/ Kevin G Moug by Debra J Lill -POA 10/30/2007

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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).

Shares of Common Stock acquired under the Corporation's Stock Incentive Plan, which is a grant of Restricted Stock. The 2,700 shares granted 10/29/07 have a FMV of \$35.84 and vest at 25% yearly beginning 4/8/08. See below for other holdings: 1. Direct holding of 2,889 shares of Common Stock which is a Performance Award. 2. Direct holding of 845.6985 shares of Common Stock held jointly with

(1) his wife in the Dividend Reinvestment Plan. 3. Direct holding of 464.0015 shares of Common Stock held in the Employee Stock Purchase Plan. 4. Direct holding of 12,311 shares of Common Stock which no longer carries the restriction. 5. Indirect holding of 196.6180 shares of Common Stock held by ESOP. 6. Indirect holding of 215.5566 shares of Common Stock held by his children in custodian accounts. 7. 15,000 stock options with expiration date of 4/9/2011.

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