

MERCER INTERNATIONAL INC  
 Form 3  
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**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement		3. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	
Â Stueber Werner Eberhard			(Month/Day/Year)		MERCER INTERNATIONAL INC [MERC5]	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	09/12/2005		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer	
HAUPTSTRASSE 16					5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	
(Street)					(Check all applicable)	
BLANKENSTEIN,Â 2MÂ 07366					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)			<input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner	
					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other	
					(give title below) (specify below)	
					VP Tech. Support & Pulp Ops.	
					<input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person	
					<input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. SEC 1473 (7-02)

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date			
		Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Stock Options	01/19/2000	01/20/2010	Common Shares	30,000	\$ 6.375	D	Â
Stock Options	09/09/2005	09/09/2015	Common Shares	25,000	\$ 7.92	D	Â

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Stueber Werner Eberhard HAUPTSTRASSE 16 BLANKENSTEIN, 2M 07366	Â	Â	Â VP Tech. Support & Pulp Ops.	Â

## Signatures

/s/ Werner Stuber 09/12/2005

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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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