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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Blum Ronald E			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CHICAGO BRIDGE & IRON CO N V [CBI]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) 2103 RESE	(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of			f Earliest Transaction Day/Year)				Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Executive Vice President		
THE WOO	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	le I - Non-I	Derivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Dat (Month/Day/Year)	Execution any	med n Date, if Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit on(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	sposed 4 and : (A) or	l of (D) 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)
Common Stock	02/26/2008			Code V F	Amount 1,823	(D)	Price \$ 46.47	42,768	D	
Common Stock	02/26/2008			A	10,500	A	\$0	53,268	D	
Common Stock	02/26/2008			F	2,987	D	\$ 46.47	50,281	D	

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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 proof 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8 I S (
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 46.47	02/26/2008		A	3,177	<u>(1)</u>	02/26/2018	Common Stock	3,177	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 47	02/27/2008		A	4,200	<u>(1)</u>	02/27/2018	Common Stock	4,200	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Blum Ronald E			Executive				
2103 RESEARCH FOREST DRIVE			Vice				
THE WOODLANDS, TX 77380			President				

Signatures

Cindy A. McMinn as attorney 02/28/2008 in fact

**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).
- (1) The option vests in seven years but may vest in three years if the reporting person has held continuously for three years.

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