FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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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>LENNOX DOUGLAS C</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol IDEX CORP /DE/ [IEX]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify				
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O IDEX CORP 630 DUNDEE ROAD				05	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/27/2005									Note President - Treasurer					
(Street) NORTHBROOK IL 60062				2	_	Line) X Form filed by										ed by One Repo	by One Reporting Person by More than One Reporting		
(City)	(S		(Zip)		<u> </u>									<u> </u>					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa			2. Transacti	on	n 2A. De		d Date,				of, or Benefic Acquired (A) or f (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and		r 5. and Se Be	Amount of ecurities eneficially wned Followir	6. Ownersh Form: Direc (D) or Indire (I) (Instr. 4)	t Indirect			
								ĺ	Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	. ∣Tr	eported ansaction(s) nstr. 3 and 4)				
COMMON STOCK 11/2:				11/22/20	004	4			G		12,000	A	\$39	9.9	12,000	I	AGRE FOR SAND SILVA LENN LIVIN	TRUST AGREEMENT FOR SANDRA SILVA LENNOX LIVING TRUST(1)	
COMMON STOCK 05/27/2009				005	5		M		5,000	A \$16.5		6.5	65,149	D	D				
COMMON STOCK 05/27/2009				005	5		S		5,000	D	\$38.27		60,149	D					
		,	Table								sposed o				Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execu if any	Deemed 4. cution Date, Ti		Transaction Code (Instr.		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			cisable and	7. Title and Amou of Securities Underlying Derivative Securi (Instr. 3 and 4)		mount	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 Exerci	isable	Expiration Date	Title		Amount or Number of Shares					
OPTIONS (RIGHT TO BUY)	\$16.5	05/27/2005			A			5,000	03/23	/2004	03/23/2009	COMM		5,000	\$0	103,000	D		

Explanation of Responses:

1. THE REPORTING PERSON IS THE TRUSTEE OF THE TRUST. THE REPORTING PERSON DISCLAIMS BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF THE REPORTED SECURITIES EXCEPT TO THE EXTENT OF HIS PECUNIARY INTEREST THEREIN.

> **DOUGLAS C. LENNOX** ** Signature of Reporting Person

05/31/2005

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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