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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Addres BELL BRAD	1 0	son [*]	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>IDEX CORP /DE/</u> [IEX]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
(Last) 1601 WEST DIE	(First) (Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/20/2008	X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)					
(Street) NAPERVILLE (City)	IL (State)	60563-1198 (Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of 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					

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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction Code (Instr.					5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
COMMON STOCK	02/20/2008		A		675	Α	\$ <mark>0</mark>	7,201(1)	D	

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 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. Transa Code (8)		5. Num of Deriva Securi Acquir (A) or Dispos of (D) (Instr. and 5)	tive ties red sed 3, 4	6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y	ate	e and 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	Amount or Number of Shares				
OPTIONS (RIGHT TO BUY)	\$30.85	02/20/2008		A		2,250		02/20/2009	02/20/2018	COMMON STOCK	2,250	\$0	61,313 ⁽¹⁾	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. ON MAY 21, 2007, THE COMPANY STOCK OF IDEX CORPORATION SPLIT 3 FOR 2, RESULTING IN THE REPORTING PERSON'S ACQUISITION OF 2,176 ADDITIONAL SHARES OF COMMON STOCK AND 19,688 ADDITIONAL OPTIONS.

BRADLEY J. BELL

02/22/2008 Date

** Signature of Reporting Person

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).

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