FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT	OF CHANGES IN	N BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* LIPKE CURTIS W				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GIBRALTAR STEEL CORP [Rock]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner					
(Last)	(Fil	rst) (Middle)			ate of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 2/2003							Offic belo	,	ruste	below	(specify /)	
(Street) (City) (State) (Zip)			4. If	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						
(Oily)					ative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Benefi									Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		2A. E Exec if any	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. A Ber Fol	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
						Code	v	Amou	nt	(A) or (D)	Price				(Inst	r. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common stock 06/12/2003						J ⁽¹⁾		1,0	00	D	20		605,656			I	Trust ⁽²⁾	
Common stock		06/12/2003			J ⁽¹⁾		19	8	D	20	12	129,365.6 ⁽⁴⁾⁽⁵⁾⁽⁶⁾⁽⁷⁾⁽⁸⁾⁽⁹⁾⁽¹⁰⁾			I	Rush Creek Investment Co., LP ⁽³⁾		
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	version Date (Month/Day/Year) e of vative	Execution Date, if any		Transaction Code (Instr. 8) Der Sec (A) Dis of (vative urities uired proceed by tr. 3, 4		e Exercisable and ation Date h/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Ins and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownersh Form: Direct (D or Indire (I) (Instr.	Ownership	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
	Code V (A)		(D)			Expira Date	ation		Amoun or Numbe of Shares									

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Sale of securities pursuant to a pre-arranged stock trading plan established pursuant to Rule 10b5-1.
- 2. Represents shares held by a trust for the benefit of the reporting person of which he serves as one of three Trustees and shares voting and investment power.
- 3. Represents the pecuniary interest of reporting person in shares of Gibraltar Steel Corporation common stock held by Rush Creek Investment Co., LP. The reporting person disclaims beneficial interest in such shares, except to the extent of his beneficial interest
- 4. 73,005 shares of common stock held directly.
- 5. 7,005 shares of common stock held by Trust for the benefit of a child (Katherine Victoria) of an insider of Gibraltar Steel Corporation of which Trust reporting person serves as one of three Trustees and shares voting and investment power and as to which he disclaims beneficial ownership.
- 6. 5,605 shares of common stock held by trust for the benefit of a child (Carlisle Lipke-Ricci) of an insider of Gibraltar Steel Corporation, which the reporting person serves as one of four trustees and shares voting and investment power and as to which shares he disclaims beneficial ownership.
- 7. 6,700 shares of common stock held by Trust for the benefit of a child (Kenneth Eric Lipke) of an insider of Gibraltar Steel Corporation, of which the reporting person serves as one of three trustees and shares voting and investment power and as to which shares he disclaims beneficial ownership
- 8. 90,880 shares of common stock held by trust for the benefit of insiders of Gibraltar Steel Corporation, of which the reporting person serves as one of five trustees and shares voting and investment power and as to which shares he disclaims beneficial ownership.
- 9. 5,800 shares of common stock held by trust for the benefit of a child (Erica Rae Lipke) of an insider of Gibraltar Steel Corporation, of which the reporting person serves as one of three trustees and shares voting and investment power and as to which shares he disclaims beneficial ownership.
- 10. 5,940 shares of common stock held by trust for the benefit of a child (Elissa Kristina Lipke) of an insider of Gibraltar Steel Corporation of which the reporting person serves as one of three trustees and shares voting and investment power and as to which shares he disclaims beneficial ownership.

/s/Curtis W. Lipke 06/13/2003 ** Signature of Reporting Person 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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