## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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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 <sup>*</sup> FABRIS JAMES D						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HURCO COMPANIES INC [HURC]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner					
(Last) ONE TE	(Fi	irst) ( 3Y WAY			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/28/2006									X Office below	er (give title w) President &		Other ( below) COO	specify		
(Street) INDIANAPOLIS IN 46268 (City) (State) (Zip)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Line	X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
I able I - Non-Deriva   1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)   2. Transacti Date (Month/Day)					ction	on 2A. Deeme Execution			3. Trans Code	3. Transaction Code (Instr. a		. Securities Acquired ( Disposed Of (D) (Instr. : nd 5)			r 5. Amo Securi Benefi Owned	ount of ties cially	Forr (D) c Indi	n: Direct or rect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
									Code	v	Amount		A) or D)	Price				tr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock 12/28/20					2006	006 12/28/2		8/2006	М	М		15,000 A		\$2.1	5 2	20,000		D		
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. Transac Code (Ir 8)				6. Date I Expiratio (Month/I	on Da		and 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr and 4)		str. 3	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)	
						v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa	ble	Expiration Date	Title	o N of	umber						
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$2.15	12/28/2006	12/28/2006		М			15,000	12/18/20	02 <sup>(1)</sup>	12/17/2011	Comm Stoc		5,000	\$2.15	0		D		

Explanation of Responses:

1. These shares vest in three equal installments on December 18, 2002, 2003 and 2004

Remarks:

## /s/ James D. Fabris

\*\* 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).

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