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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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(Last)	NE TECHNOLOGY WAY						Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HURCO COMPANIES INC [HURC] Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/09/2004 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Offic Offic below	oblicable) ctor er (give title w) or Joint/Group	10% Owner		
INDIANAPOLIS IN 46268 (City) (State) (Zip)																Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Y						Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5)			4 and Secu Bene Own		ficially d	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
							Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	(A) or (D) Price		Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)			
Common Stock 06/08/2					04 06/0		8/20	8/2004			6,000	D	\$12.	.1217	1	4,000	D		
Common Stock 06/08					04 06/0		08/2004		S		1,000	D	\$12	2.33	1	3,000	D		
Common Stock 06/08/200						06/08/2			S		1,000	D	\$12	2.39	1	2,000	D		
Common Stock 06/08/200						06/08/20		04	S		1,000	D	\$12	\$12.42		1,000	D		
Common Stock 06/08/200						06/08/2004		04	S		1,000	D	\$12	\$12.43		0,000	D		
Common Stock																5,100	I	Wife	
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)	Exec if an	Deemed cution Date,	4. Trans	action (Instr.	5. Nu of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) o Disp of (D	vative urities uired or osed 0)	Expiration (Month/Day		cisable and late (Year)	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) Amoun or Numbe of Title Shares		8. Pof Der Sec (Ins	Price ivative curity str. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership	

Explanation of Responses:

Charles Rentschler 06/09/2004

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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