

INTERNATIONAL PAPER CO /NEW/

Form 4

June 02, 2006

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
LESSIN ANDREW R

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O INTERNATIONAL
PAPER, 400 ATLANTIC STREET

(Street)

STAMFORD, CT 06921

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
INTERNATIONAL PAPER CO
/NEW/ [IP]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
05/30/2006

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
X Officer (give title ____ Other (specify
below) below)
Senior Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
____ 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/Year)	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. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price

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

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transaction	5. Number	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities	8. Price of Derivative
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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)		Security (Instr. 5)	
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Common Stock Units	(3)	05/30/2006	A		55 (1)		(4)	(4)	Common Stock	55 (1)
										\$ 33.92

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
LESSIN ANDREW R C/O INTERNATIONAL PAPER 400 ATLANTIC STREET STAMFORD, CT 06921			Senior Vice President	

Signatures

Beth Murphree Attorney-in-Fact for Andrew R. Lessin

06/02/2006

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* 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).

(1) Share numbers are rounded.

The International Paper Company Deferred Compensation Savings Plan (DCSP) is an unfunded deferred compensation plan. Deferrals are placed into various fund equivalents offered by the DCSP, including investments in common stock equivalents of International Paper (units).

(3) The units are converted to cash based on the stock price of International Paper's common stock at the time of conversion.

(4) Distributions from the DCSP are made when a participant retires, terminates employment, becomes permanently disabled or dies. All distributions are paid in cash.

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