

GLATFELTER P H CO

Form 5

February 13, 2003

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person
Newcomer, Robert P.
96 South George Street
Suite 500
York, PA 17401
USA
2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
Glatfelter (GLT)
3. IRS or Social Security Number of Reporting Person (Voluntary)
4. Statement for Month/Year
12/2002
5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Year)
6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)
(X) Director () 10% Owner
(X) Officer (give title below) () Other (specify below)
President
7. 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 | 2. Trans- action Date (Month/ Day/ Year) | 2A.Execu- tion Date (Month/ Day/ Year) | 3. Trans- action Code | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) Amount A/D Price | 5. Amo Securi Benefi Owned Follow Yea |
|-------------------------------|---|---|-----------------------------|--|--|
| Common Stock, Par Value \$.01 | | | | | 11513 |
| Common Stock, Par Value \$.01 | 12/31/2002 | | A | 576 A \$13.2500 | 4026 |
| Common Stock, Par Value \$.01 | | | | | 502.71 |
| Common Stock, Par Value \$.01 | | | | | 0 |

TABLE II -- Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| 1. | 2. | 3. | 3A. | 4. | 5. | 6. | 7. |
|------------------------------------|--|--------------------------|--------------------------|------------------|---|---|---|
| Title of Derivative Security | Deriv- ative Security | (Month/ Day/ Year) | (Month/ Day/ Year) | tion Code | Number of Derivative Securities Acquired(A) Disposed(D) | Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | Title and Amount of Underlying Securities Amount or Number of Shares |
| | Conver- sion or Exercise Price of | Trans- action Date | Execu- tion Date | Transac- tion | Number of Derivative Securities Acquired(A) Disposed(D) | Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | Amount or Number of Shares |

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Explanation of Responses:

SIGNATURE OF REPORTING PERSON
/s/ Suzanne DeMars

DATE
02/12/2003