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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* TEERLINK RICHARD F					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SNAP ON INC [SNA]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
(Last) (First) (Middle)					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/02/2004									X Direct Office below	er (give title		Owner (specify v)			
SNAP-ON INCORPORATED 2801 80TH STREET				4. If A	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					
(Street) KENOSHA, WI 53141															Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City) (State) (Zip)																				
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/					Executi			Code (In:	nsaction Dispo de (Instr. and 5)		(4) ar		r. 3, 4	Securi Benefi Owned Repor	cially I Following ted	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
Common Stock								Code	v	Amour	nt (A) or (D)		Price	(Instr.	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)					
Commo	I Stock						141				<u> </u>			<u> </u>			D			
		Т:	able II	- Deriva (e.g., p	tive Se uts, ca	ecur alls,	rities , war	rants	uired, Dis s, options	pos , co	sed of nverti	, or Be	nefi curi	ciall ies)	y Owned			,		
Derivative Conversion Date Execution Date, or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any					ansaction Number E		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)					
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Exp Dat	oiration e	Title	or Nu of	ount mber ares						
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$43.6875								04/24/1998	04/2	24/2008	Commo: Stock	3,	000		3,000	D			
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$31.938								04/23/1999	04/2	23/2009	Commo: Stock	3,	000		3,000	D			
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$26.4375								04/28/2000	04/2	28/2010	Commo: Stock	3,	000		3,000	D			
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$29.36								04/27/2001	04/2	27/2011	Commo: Stock	3,	000		3,000	D			
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$32.08								04/25/2002	04/2	25/2012	Commo Stock	3,	000		3,000	D			
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$28.43								04/24/2003	04/2	24/2013	Commo	3,	000		3,000	D			

${\bf Explanation\ of\ Responses:}$

1. Includes 7.336 shares acquired on January 2, 2004 under the Corporation's Dividend Reinvestment and Direct Stock Purchase Plan.

Remarks:

Jason D. Bartel under Power of
Attorney for Richard F.01/06/2004Teerlink

** 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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