

# FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, DC 20549

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### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*		2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol		6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
<b>Johnston Richard P</b>  (Last) (First) (Middle)  <b>Teton Pines</b> <b>4350 Greens Place</b>  (Street)  <b>Wilson WY 83014</b>  (City) (State) (Zip)		<b>Myers Industries, Inc (MYE)</b>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Director	<input type="checkbox"/>	10% Owner			
				<input type="checkbox"/>	Officer (give title below)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other (specify below)			
3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (Voluntary)		4. Statement for Month/Day/Year <b>04/23/2003</b>		7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
		5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)		<input type="checkbox"/>	Form filed by One Reporting Person					
				<input type="checkbox"/>	Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
<b>Table I — Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned</b>										
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	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock								4,561	D	
Common Stock								16,637	I	Johnston Family Living Trust
Common Stock								95,408	I	Charitable Remainder Trust #3

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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FORM 4 (continued)		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. Transaction Code (Instr.8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Option/Right to Buy (1)	14.95							4/30/99	4/30/03	Common	831				
Option/Right to Buy (1)	13.52							4/29/00	4/29/04	Common	1,663				
Option/Right to Buy (1)	8.18							4/18/01	4/18/05	Common	1,512				
Option/Right to Buy (1)	10.40							4/26/02	4/26/06	Common	1,375				
Option/Right to Buy (2)	9.99							4/23/04	4/23/13	Common	1,000				

Explanation of Responses:

- (1) Grants were issued under Myers Industries, Inc. 1992 Incentive Stock Option Plan.  
(2) Grants were issued under Myers Industries, Inc. 1999 Incentive Stock Plan.

\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations.  
See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

/s/ Richard P. Johnston  
\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

4/23/2003  
Date

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