

WAUSAU PAPER CORP.

Form 4

March 02, 2007

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

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**HOWATT THOMAS J**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

100 PAPER PLACE

(Street)

MOSINEE, WI 54455

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol

WAUSAU PAPER CORP. [WPP]

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

02/15/2007

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

☐ Director ☐ 10% Owner  
☒ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)

President &amp; CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)

☒ 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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|
| No Par Value Common Stock       | 02/15/2007                           |                                                    | J(1)                           | V                                                                 | 99.7327                                                                                       | A                                                        | \$ 14.8128                                            |
|                                 |                                      |                                                    |                                |                                                                   | 17,479.9373                                                                                   | D                                                        |                                                       |

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<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number of<br>Derivative<br>Securities Acquired<br>(A) or Disposed of<br>(D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title of<br>Underlying<br>(Instr. 3) |                           |                           |                 |
|-----------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------|
|                                                     |                                                                       |                                         |                                                             | Code                                    | V                                                                                                      | (A)                                                            | (D)                                     | Date Exercisable          | Expiration Date           | Title           |
| Common<br>Stock<br>Equivalent<br>Units              | \$ 0 <sup>(2)</sup>                                                   | 02/15/2007                              |                                                             | A                                       | V                                                                                                      | 105.5268                                                       |                                         | 08/08/1988 <sup>(3)</sup> | 08/08/1988 <sup>(3)</sup> | Common<br>Stock |
| Common<br>Stock<br>Equivalent<br>Units              | \$ 0 <sup>(2)</sup>                                                   | 02/28/2007                              |                                                             | A                                       | V                                                                                                      | 242.5499                                                       |                                         | 08/08/1988 <sup>(3)</sup> | 08/08/1988 <sup>(3)</sup> | Common<br>Stock |
| Dividend<br>Equivalents                             | \$ 0 <sup>(4)</sup>                                                   | 02/15/2007                              |                                                             | A                                       | V                                                                                                      | 36.8                                                           |                                         | 08/08/1988 <sup>(4)</sup> | 08/08/1988 <sup>(4)</sup> | Common<br>Stock |
| Performance<br>Rights                               | \$ 0 <sup>(2)</sup>                                                   | 02/20/2007                              |                                                             | A                                       |                                                                                                        | 7,008.6214                                                     |                                         | 12/31/2007 <sup>(5)</sup> | 12/31/2007 <sup>(5)</sup> | Common<br>Stock |
| Restricted<br>Stock Units                           | \$ 0 <sup>(6)</sup>                                                   | 02/15/2007                              |                                                             | A                                       | V                                                                                                      | 13.3557                                                        |                                         | 08/08/1988 <sup>(6)</sup> | 08/08/1988 <sup>(6)</sup> | Common<br>Stock |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                          | Relationships |           |                 |       |
|---------------------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|-----------------|-------|
|                                                         | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer         | Other |
| HOWATT THOMAS J<br>100 PAPER PLACE<br>MOSINEE, WI 54455 | X             |           | President & CEO |       |

## Signatures

Sherri L. Craker,  
Attorney-in-Fact

03/02/2007

\_\_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) Acquired under Dividend Reinvestment Plan.

(2) Converts to common stock on a one-for-one basis.

(3) Stock equivalent units accrued under the Wausau Paper Deferred Compensation Plan for Directors; the value of the units is paid in cash at Director's termination of service.

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- (4) Accruals on dividend record dates. Value of Dividend Equivalents paid in cash only at earlier of termination of employment or exercise of certain options.
- (5) Performance conditions satisfied on February 20, 2007; rights vest if employment continues until December 31, 2007. Includes accrued dividend equivalent shares to February 20, 2007.
- (6) Each unit represents right to receive one share of issuer's common stock upon termination of service as a director, unless deferred at election of reporting person.

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