#### SENSIENT TECHNOLOGIES CORP

Form 4

October 23, 2007

# FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * PICKLES RALPH G			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			SENSIENT TECHNOLOGIES CORP [SXT]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify			
777 EAST WISCONSIN AVENUE			10/22/2007	below) below) Pres. Flavors&Fragrance Group			
(Street)  MILWAUKEE, WI 53202			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person _ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)				

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative	Secu	rities Acquii	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)		sed of	` ′	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)
Common Stock	10/22/2007		M(1)	4,600 (1)	A	\$ 21.125	69,662.574 (2) (3)	D	
Common Stock	10/22/2007		S	3,000	D	\$ 29.2789	66,662.574 (2) (3)	D	
Common Stock	10/22/2007		S	746	D	\$ 29.56	65,916.574 (2) (3)	D	

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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 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number composed for 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 18.375					01/31/2001	01/31/2010	Common Stock	8,500
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 18.54					12/10/2002	12/10/2011	Common Stock	20,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 18.57					12/01/2006	12/01/2015	Common Stock	22,500
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 19.4					12/08/2004	12/08/2013	Common Stock	50,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 22					12/11/2001	12/11/2010	Common Stock	20,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 23					12/06/2005	12/06/2014	Common Stock	25,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 23.19					12/09/2003	12/09/2012	Common Stock	20,000
Stock Options (Right to	\$ 23.5					01/25/2000	01/25/2009	Common Stock	5,000

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buy)								
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 24.15				12/07/2007	12/07/2016	Common Stock	5,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 21.125	10/22/2007	M <u>(1)</u>	4,600	01/26/1999	01/26/2008	Common Stock	4,600

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

PICKLES RALPH G

777 EAST WISCONSIN AVENUE Pres. Flavors&Fragrance Group

MILWAUKEE, WI 53202

### **Signatures**

John L. Hammond, Attorney-In-Fact for Mr.
Pickles 10/23/2007

\*\*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).
- (3) Includes shares held in a dividend reinvestment program.
- (1) Exercise of in-the-money employee stock option that would otherwise expire on 1/26/2008, exempt from Section 16(b) by virtue of Rule 16b-6(b) and Rule 16b-3(d) and (e).
- (4) Original option grant vests in three equal annual installments beginning on the date listed.
- (2) Includes shares of restricted stock held under the Issuer's 2002 and 1998 stock option plans.

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