TERRA INDUSTRIES INC

Form 4

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * FISHER DAVID EDWIN			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol TERRA INDUSTRIES INC [TRA]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First) (Mie	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
			(Month/Day/Year)	X Director 10% Owner			
600 FOURTH STREET, P.O. BOX			07/31/2006	Officer (give title Other (specifically)			
6000				ociow)			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line)			
SIOUX CITY, IA 51102-6000				_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acc	quired Disposed of or Reneficially Owner			

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1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities A	Acquired	5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of	
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction(A) or Disposed of			Securities	urities Form: Direct		
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(D)		Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership	
		•				Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
						Reported			
				(A)		Transaction(s)			
				or		(Instr. 3 and 4)			
			Code V	Amount (D)	Price	()			
Common Stock	07/31/2006		F	3,000 D	\$ 7.18	37,800	D		
Common Stock (1)	08/16/2006		A	7,000 A	\$ 6.39	44,800	D		

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transacti	5. orNumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration D		7. Title Amount		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
Security or Exe (Instr. 3) Price of Derivative		or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	Exercise ce of crivative	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of	f (Month/Day/Year) Derivative ecurities Acquired A) or Disposed f (D) Instr. 3,		Underly Securiti	Underlying Sec	Security (Instr. 5)	Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
					Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title N	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address 10% Owner Officer Other Director FISHER DAVID EDWIN

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600 FOURTH STREET P.O. BOX 6000 SIOUX CITY, IA 51102-6000

Signatures

Mark A. Kalafut, 08/17/2006 Attorney-in-fact

**Signature of Reporting Person

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).
- This director compensation award consists of 10,000 shares of unrestricted TRA common stock, of which 3,000 shares were forfeited in payment of taxes.

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