ARMSTRONG WILLIAM H III

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** Form 4 or

Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

Symbol

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

ARMSTRONG WILLIAM H III

				STRATUS PROPERTIES INC [STRS]					(Check all applicable)				
(Month					Date of Earliest Transaction onth/Day/Year) /27/2006				Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chair of Board,President, CEO				
				onth/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
	(City)	(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									y Owned		
	1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		Date, if	Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) ar) (Instr. 8) (A) or))	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						(=)		3,250	I	IRA for self		
	Common Stock	12/27/2006			M	40,000	A	\$ 12.38	256,081	D			
	Common Stock	12/27/2006			M	2,500	A	\$ 8.69	258,581	D			
	Common Stock	12/27/2006			M	46,000	A	\$ 9.25	304,581	D			
	Common Stock	12/27/2006			M	34,500	A	\$ 10.555	339,081	D			

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

STRATUS PROPERTIES INC

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Common Stock	12/27/2006	M	17,500	A	\$ 16.015	356,581	D
Common Stock	12/27/2006	M	67,500	A	\$ 9.44	424,081	D
Common Stock (7)	12/27/2006	F(8)	121,123	D	\$ 31.197	302,958	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 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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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 o Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share
Option (right to buy)	\$ 12.38	12/27/2006		M	40,000	05/14/1999 <u>(1)</u>	05/14/2008	Common Stock	40,000
Option (right to buy)	\$ 8.69	12/27/2006		M	2,500	02/10/2001(2)	02/10/2010	Common Stock	2,500
Option (right to buy)	\$ 9.25	12/27/2006		M	46,000	12/17/2003(3)	12/17/2012	Common Stock	46,000
Option (right to buy)	\$ 10.555	12/27/2006		M	34,500	12/17/2004(4)	12/17/2013	Common Stock	34,500
Option (right to buy)	\$ 16.015	12/27/2006		M	17,500	12/30/2005(5)	12/30/2014	Common Stock	17,500
Option (right to buy)	\$ 9.44	12/27/2006		M	67,500	12/21/2001(6)	12/21/2010	Common Stock	67,500

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ARMSTRONG WILLIAM H III 98 SAN JACINTO BOULEVARD, STE 220 AUSTIN, TX 78701

Chair of Board, President, CEO

Signatures

Kelly C. Simoneaux, on behalf of William H. Armstrong III pursuant to a power of attorney

12/29/2006

**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) 25% exercisable on the date indicated and 25% exercisable on each of the next three anniversaries thereof.
- (2) 25% exercisable on the date indicated and 25% exercisable on each of the next three anniversaries thereof.
- (3) 25% exercisable on the date indicated and 25% exercisable on each of the next three anniversaries thereof.
- (4) 25% exercisable on the date indicated and 25% exercisable on each of the next three anniversaries thereof.
- (5) 25% exercisable on the date indicated and 25% exercisable on each of the next three anniversaries thereof.
- (6) 25% exercisable on the date indicated and 25% exercisable on each of the next three anniversaries thereof.
- (7) Amount beneficially owned following the reported transactions includes 57,250 Common Stock Restricted Stock Units.
- (8) Shares withheld and delivered in payment of the exercise price of options and resulting taxes.

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