#### STEPAN F QUINN JR

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

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading STEPAN F QUINN JR Issuer Symbol STEPAN CO [SCL] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) \_X\_\_ Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title ) \_ Other (specify 22 W. FRONTAGE ROAD 05/04/2006 below) President & CEO (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting NORTHFIELD, IL 60093 Person

| (City)                               | (State)                                 | (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned |   |            |                              |                |  |  |   |
|--------------------------------------|---|--|---|------------|------------------------------|----------------|--|--|---|
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year)                            | 3.<br>Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | (Instr. 3, | ispose<br>4 and<br>(A)<br>or | d of (D)<br>5) | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 05/04/2006                              |  | Code V<br>S                             | Amount 100 | (D)                          | Price \$ 30.87 | 67,170.2262  | D  |   |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 05/04/2006                              |  | S                                       | 100        | D                            | \$ 30.8        | 67,070.2262  | D  |   |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 05/04/2006                              |  | S                                       | 500        | D                            | \$ 30.7        | 66,570.2262  | D  |   |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 05/04/2006                              |  | S                                       | 100        | D                            | \$ 30.6        | 66,470.2262  | D  |   |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 05/04/2006                              |  | S                                       | 4,200      | D                            | \$ 30.5        | 62,270.2262  | D  |   |

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| Common<br>Stock | 05/04/2006 | S | 100   | D | \$<br>30.85 | 62,170.2262 | D |
|-----------------|------------|---|-------|---|-------------|-------------|---|
| Common<br>Stock | 05/04/2006 | S | 1,600 | D | \$<br>30.67 | 60,570.2262 | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 05/04/2006 | S | 800   | D | \$<br>30.57 | 59,770.2262 | 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<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>Transacti<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) |                     | ate                | 7. Title<br>Amou<br>Under<br>Securi<br>(Instr. | nt of<br>lying             | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Nu<br>Deriv<br>Secur<br>Bene<br>Own<br>Follo<br>Repo<br>Trans<br>(Instr |
|---|---|---|---|---------------------------------------|---|---------------------|--------------------|--|----------------------------|---|--|
|   |   |   |   | Code V                                | (A) (D)   | Date<br>Exercisable | Expiration<br>Date | Title  | Amount or Number of Shares |   |  |

# **Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                   | Relationships |           |                 |       |  |  |  |
|--|---------------|-----------|-----------------|-------|--|--|--|
| Tesporting of their remains of transcess                         | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer         | Other |  |  |  |
| STEPAN F QUINN JR<br>22 W. FRONTAGE ROAD<br>NORTHFIELD, IL 60093 | X             |           | President & CEO |       |  |  |  |

# **Signatures**

| F. Quinn Stepan,<br>Jr.         | 05/05/2006 |  |  |
|---------------------------------|------------|--|--|
| **Signature of Reporting Person | Date       |  |  |

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- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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