#### ARMSTRONG WILLIAM H III

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

may continue. See Instruction

1(b).

Stock

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12/21/2006

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * ARMSTRONG WILLIAM H III	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol STRATUS PROPERTIES INC [STRS]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle)  98 SAN JACINTO BOULEVARD, STE 220	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/21/2006	Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)  Chair of Board,President, CEO  6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person Person		
(Street) AUSTIN, TX 78701	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)			

(City)	(State) (Zip) 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)	Code (Instr. 3, 4 r) (Instr. 8)		sposed	of (D)	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			Code V	Amount	(2)	77100	3,250	I	IRA for self
Common Stock	12/21/2006		M	32,500	A	\$ 7	159,442	D	
Common	12/21/2006		M	50,000	A	\$ 7.81	209,442	D	

60,000 A

45,455 A

M

M

D

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\$ 8.69 269,442

\$ 8.45 314,897

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Common Stock (5) 12/21/2006  $F_{\underline{(6)}}$  98,816 D (31.95) 216,081 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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		7. Title and Amount o Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (I	<b>O</b> )	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share
Option (right to buy)	\$ 7	12/21/2006		M	32,	500	05/08/1998(1)	05/08/2007	Common Stock	32,500
Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.81	12/21/2006		M	50,	000	02/11/2000(2)	02/11/2009	Common Stock	50,000
Option (right to buy)	\$ 8.69	12/21/2006		M	60,	000	02/10/2001(3)	02/10/2010	Common Stock	60,000
Option (right to buy)	\$ 8.45	12/21/2006		M	45,	455	01/17/2003(4)	01/17/2012	Common Stock	45,455

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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

Chair of Board, President, CEO

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## **Signatures**

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

12/22/2006

\*\*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) Amount beneficially owned following the reported transactions includes 57,250 Common Stock Restricted Stock Units.
- (6) Shares delivered and withheld in payment of the exercise price of options and resulting taxes.

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