BRIGGS & STRATTON CORP

Form 4

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1(b).

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading SAVAGE THOMAS R Issuer Symbol **BRIGGS & STRATTON CORP** (Check all applicable) [BGG] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title _ __ Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) 12301 WEST WIRTH STREET 08/16/2005 Senior Vice President (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

WAUWATOSA, WI 532222110

(City)	(State) (Z	(Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities	5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of			
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	onAcquired (A) or	Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect			
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	Disposed of (D)	Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial			
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership			
					Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)			
				(4)	Reported					
				(A)	Transaction(s)					
			Code V	or Amount (D) Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)					
Common Stock	08/16/2005		A	3,662 A \$0	12,062	D				
Common Stock					3,654	I	By 401(k)			

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$\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$

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)	Code	5. Number torDerivative Securities Acquired (or Dispose (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(A) ed of	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
Employee Stock Options (rights to buy) (2)	\$ 38.83	08/16/2005		A	26,202		08/16/2008	08/16/2010	Common Stock	26,202
Employee Stock Options (rights to buy)	\$ 23.11						08/03/2003	08/03/2007	Common Stock	30,760
Employee Stock Options (rights to buy)	\$ 24.6						08/07/2004	08/07/2008	Common Stock	45,720
Employee Stock Options (rights to buy)	\$ 23.35						08/13/2005	08/13/2009	Common Stock	19,980
Employee Stock Options (rights to buy)	\$ 30.44						08/15/2006	08/15/2013	Common Stock	46,420
Employee Stock Options (rights to buy)	\$ 36.68						08/13/2007	08/13/2014	Common Stock	83,700

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Reporting Owners

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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SAVAGE THOMAS R 12301 WEST WIRTH STREET WAUWATOSA, WI 532222110

Senior Vice President

Signatures

By: Patricia M.

Hanz for 08/17/2005

**Signature of Reporting Date

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- * 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) As of the quarterly statement 12/31/04
- (2) Granted pursuant to the terms of the Briggs & Stratton Corporation Premium Option and Stock Award Program

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