FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  MCCARTHY KENT C						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol LSB INDUSTRIES INC [ LXU ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director X 10% Owner  Officer (give title Check (coorify))						
(Last) (First) (Middle) 8201 MISSION ROAD SUITE 110						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/06/2004									Officer (give title Other (spec below) below)					
(Street) PRAIRIE VILLAGE  (City) (State) (Zip)					- 4. I	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Ye				2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		te,			4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and			Benefic		ies cially Following	Forn (D) c	n: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Transac	action(s) 3 and 4)			(111501.4)	
Common Stock 01/06/2004				004	4 01/06/2004		)4	S <sup>(1)</sup>		47,500 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	\$6.106	51 <sup>(1)</sup> 1,1		1,146,000 <sup>(2)</sup>		(3)	See Footnote <sup>(3)</sup>		
Common Stock 01/07/2004					004	4 01/07/2004		)4	S <sup>(4)</sup>		35,000(4)	D	\$6.01	<u>[</u> (4)	1,111,000(5)			(6)	See Footnote <sup>(6)</sup>	
	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)			5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		rative rities ired r osed )	Expi	ite Exe ration ith/Day		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instrand 4)		Deri Sec (Inst	Price of erivative ecurity sstr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	у	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exer	cisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares							

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Jayhawk Institutional Partners, L.P. sold 47,500 shares of Common Stock for \$6.1061 per share for an aggregate sale price of \$290,039.75. The reporting person owns, directly or indirectly, all of the membership interests of Jayhawk Capital Management, L.L.C., which is the general partner of Jayhawk Institutional Partners, L.P.
- 2. Of this amount, the reporting person is the indirect beneficial owner of 975,000 shares of Common Stock directly owned by Jayhawk Institutional Partners, L.P. The reporting person is the direct beneficial owner of 171,000 shares of Common Stock.
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- 4. Jayhawk Institutional Partners, L.P. sold 35,000 shares of Common Stock for \$6.01 per share for an aggregate sale price of \$210,350. The reporting person owns, directly or indirectly, all of the membership interests of Jayhawk Capital Management, L.L.C., which is the general partner of Jayhawk Institutional Partners, L.P.
- 5. Of this amount, the reporting person is the indirect beneficial owner of 940,000 shares of Common Stock directly owned by Jayhawk Institutional Partners, L.P. The reporting person is the direct beneficial owner of 171,000 shares of Common Stock.
- 6. The reporting person is the indirect beneficial owner of 940,000 shares of Common Stock directly owned by Jayhawk Institutional Partners, L.P. The reporting person is the direct beneficial owner of 171,000 shares of Common Stock

/s/ Kent C. McCarthy 01/08/2004 \*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- \* 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).

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