FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Korb Brent L							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol QUANEX CORP [NX]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify					
						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/29/2007									below) below) VP-Corporate Controller				peony	
(Street) HOUSTON TX		77027	_ 4.1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Application) X Form filed by One Reporting Person										n						
(City) (State) (Zip)		(Zip)			Form filed by More than One Reporting Person															
		Tak	ole I - No	on-Deri	vative	e Se	curities	s Ac	quired	, Di	sposed o	f, or Be	nefici	ally (Owned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transacti Date (Month/Day)) Ex	any	ecution Date,		ction nstr.	4. Securities Acquired (A) of Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			l 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transa		ction(s) 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock 06/29/2						2007 07/05/2007		J ⁽¹⁾		1.362	A	\$49.4	999 5,5		18.377		D			
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		3A. Deen Executio if any (Month/D	n Date,	4. Transa Code (I 8)				6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		e of Securiti		ties E ng S e Security (8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ily	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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Phantom Stock Units ⁽¹⁾	\$0 ⁽²⁾	06/29/2007			A		10.819		(3)		(3)	Common Stock	10.81	9	\$48.7	3,774.0	26	D		
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$17.4								11/24/20	004	11/24/2013	Common Stock	3,37	5		3,375		D		
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$26.3111								12/01/20	005	12/01/2014	Common Stock	3,37	5		3,375		D		
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$35.38								02/01/20	005	02/01/2015	Common Stock	5,250	0		5,250		D		
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$37.47								12/05/20	007	12/05/2016	Common Stock	4,400	0		4,400		D		
Stock Options	\$40.9467								12/01/20	006	12/01/2015	Common	3,900			3,900		D		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Acquired through Quanex Dividend Reinvestment Plan.
- 2. Conversion price is 1-for-1.

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3. All units credited under the Deferred Compensation Plan are 100% vested at all times; provided, however, that if a participant receives a benefit from the Deferred Compensation Plan for any reason other than death, disability or retirement within three years after a deferral is credited to a participant's account, any matching awards made by the Company with respect to such deferral will be forfeited. Distributions under the Deferred Compensation Plan are made beginning on a specified date selected bythe participant or upon a participant's death, disability, or termination of employment.

John J. Mannion, Power of <u>Attorney</u>

07/03/2007

** 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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