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WOODWARD GOVERNOR CO

Form 4 February 08, 2002

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* 2. Issuer Name AND Ticker or Trading Symbol	6.
Beadle J. Grant Woodward Governor Company WGOV	-
(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. IRS or Social Security 4. Statement for Number of Reporting Month/Year Person (Voluntary)	
5001 North Second Street January 2002	7
(Street) 5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Year)	_x_
Rockford IL 61111	R
(City) (State) (Zip) TABLE I - NON-DERIVATIVE SECURITIES ACQUIRED	, D
(Instr. 3) action action or Disposed of (D) Date Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)	Am Se Be Ow En
Day/ (A) or Year) Code V Amount (D) Price	Mo (I an
Woodward Governor Company Common Stock	5 ,

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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or i * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, SEE Instruction 4(b)(v).

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FORM 4 (CONTINUED) TABLE II - DERIVATIVE SECURITIES ACQUIRED, DISPOSED OF, OR BENEFICIAL (E.G., PUTS, CALLS, WARRANTS, OPTIONS, CONVERTIBLE SECURITIES) 1. Title of Derivative Security 2. Conver- 3. Trans- 4. Transac- 5. Number of Derivsion or action tion Code ative Securities Ac Exercise Date (Instr. 8) quired (A) or Dis-(Instr. 3) Price of (Month/ Deriv- Day/ ative Year) posed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5 Security Code V (A) (D) Nonqualified Stock Option \$69.22 04/26/01 (right to buy) Nonqualified Stock Option \$54.57 01/23/02 1,000 (right to buy)

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7. Title and Amoun lying Securitie (Instr. 3 and	es	8. Price of Deriv-ative Security (Instr. 5)	of Deriv- ative Securi- ties Bene- ficially Owned at End of Month	Form of De- rivative Secu-	of In- direct Bene- ficial Own- ership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock			1,000	D	
Common Stock	1,000(b)		2,000		

Explanation of Responses: (a) Grant to reporting person of option to buy shares of common stock under the Woodward Governor Company 1996 Long-Term Incentive Compensation Plan is an exempt transaction under Rule 16b-3. (b) Grant to reporting person of option to buy shares of common stock under the Woodward Governor Company 2002 Stock Option Plan is an exempt transaction under Rule 16b-3.

/s/ J. Gran

**Signature c

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