FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name ar HOFM		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  LOEWS CORP [ LTR;CG ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner  Officer (give title Other (specify										
(Last) (First) (Middle) 667 MADISON AVENUE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/30/2004								X Officer (give title Officer (specify below)  Sr. Vice President						
(Street) NEW YO	ORK N	Y	10021-8087			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	ty) (State) (Zip)																			
		Tab	le I - Nor	n-Deriv	ative	Sec	uritie	s Ac	quired, D	isposed	of, or E	Bene	ficiall	y Owned	ł					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Da						Execution Date,			Code (In:	str. 5)				5. Amou Securiti Benefici Owned I Reporte Transac (Instr. 3	es ally Following d tion(s)	6. Owners Form: Dire (D) or Indi (I) (Instr. 4	ect (	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership Instr. 4)		
		1							uired, Dis s, options		f, or Be	nefi			,					
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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/	Amoun Securit Underly Derivat	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Own Forn Dire or In (I) (II	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	or Nu of	ımber							
Stock Option	\$58.28	09/30/2004			A		3,750		(1)	01/16/2014	Commo		,750	<b>\$0</b> <sup>(2)</sup>	3,750		D			

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. The option becomes exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning on January 16, 2005.
- $2. \ The \ Reporting \ Person \ received \ the \ Derivative \ Security \ pursuant \ to \ a \ stock \ option \ grant \ at \ no \ cost.$

## Remarks:

/s/ Gary W. Garson, by power of attorney for Herbert C.

10/01/2004

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\*\* 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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