

CURTISS WRIGHT CORP

FORM 3

(Initial Statement of Beneficial Ownership)

Filed 11/24/2003 For Period Ending 11/19/2003

Address	1200 WALL ST W LYNDHURST, New Jersey 07071
Telephone	201-896-8400
CIK	0000026324
Industry	Aerospace & Defense
Sector	Capital Goods
Fiscal Year	12/31

FORM 3

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE
COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

OMB APPROVAL
OMB Number: 3235-0104
Expires: January 31, 2005
Estimated average burden
hours per response... 0.5

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a)
of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the
Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * GABELLI ASSET MANAGEMENT INC ET AL <small>(Last) (First) (Middle)</small> GABELLI FUNDS, ONE CORPORATE CENTER <small>(Street)</small> RYE, NY 10580 <small>(City) (State) (Zip)</small>	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (MM/DD/YYYY) 11/19/2003	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CURTISS WRIGHT CORP [CWB]
4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input type="checkbox"/> Director <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below)		
5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (MM/DD/YYYY)		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Class B Common Stock	19700	I	By: Investment Partnership (1)
Class B Common Stock	1000	I	By: Investment Partnership (1)
Class B Common Stock	12400	I	By: Subsidiary (1)

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g. , puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivate Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (MM/DD/YYYY)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			

Explanation of Responses:

The Reporting Persons have less than a 100% interest in this entity. The amount of securities reported as beneficially owned reflects the
(1) total amount of securities held by this entity, which is greater than the Reporting Persons' indirect pecuniary interest. The Reporting
Persons hereby disclaim beneficial ownership of these securities in excess of their indirect pecuniary interests.

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10%	Officer	Other

Signatures

/s/ James E.

	Owner		
GABELLI ASSET MANAGEMENT INC ET AL GABELLI FUNDS ONE CORPORATE CENTER RYE, NY 10580	X		
GABELLI MARIO J C/O GABELLI ASSET MANAGEMENT INC ONE CORPORATE CENTER RYE, NY 10580	X		
GABELLI GROUP CAPITAL PARTNERS INC	X		

McKee Attorney-in-Fact for MARIO J. GABELLI and Secretary of GABELLI ASSET MANAGEMENT INC. AND GABELLI GROUP CAPITAL PARTNERS, INC.

11/20/2003

** 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 5(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).

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure.

Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.

End of Filing

Powered By **EDGAR**
Online

© 2005 | EDGAR Online, Inc.