FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* ARDELL INVESTMENT CO						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol TEJON RANCH CO [TRC]									all app Direct	er (give title	ig Per	10% C	Owner (specify
(Last) (First) (Middle) 2077 W COAST HWY						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/01/2003									belov	v)		below)	
(Street) NEWPO	PORT CA 92663				4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Line) X Form filed by One Report Form filed by More than (Person)								orting Pers	on				
(City)	(St	ate) (Zip)																
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transacti Date (Month/Day)						Execution Date,						es Acquired (A) or Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a		nd 5) Secur Benef		icially d Following	Forn (D) c	wnership n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
									Code	v	Amount	(A) o (D)	(A) or (D) Price		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(111341.4)
Common Stock 12/01/20)03			S		9,000	D	\$40.	3513 1,0		011,628		D	
		Та	ble II -								osed of, convertib				vned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	if any	med on Date, Day/Year)	4. Transa Code (8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exerci Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y		ate	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		Deriv Secu (Inst	vative irity r. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(: (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	le V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	sable	Expiration Date	Title	Number of Shares						

Explanation of Responses:

/s/ D.T. Daniels

12/01/2003

Date

** Signature of Reporting Person

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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