

ROLFS STEPHEN J  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
ROLFS STEPHEN J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
SENSIENT TECHNOLOGIES CORP [SXT]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
777 EAST WISCONSIN AVENUE  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
07/21/2009

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
VP, Controller and CAO

MILWAUKEE, WI 53202

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	07/21/2009		M <sup>(1)</sup>	V Amount (A) or (D) Price 7,000 (1) A \$ 18.375	49,800 (2)	D	
Common Stock	07/21/2009		S	7,000 D \$ 24.409 (3)	42,800 (2)	D	
Common Stock					897.94	I	Supplemental Benefit Plan (4)
Common Stock					1,519.641	I	Savings Plan (5)
					3,224.046	I	ESOP (6)

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Common  
Stock

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**  
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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 Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 18.375	07/21/2009		M <sup>(1)</sup>	7,000 <sup>(1)</sup>	01/31/2001 <sup>(7)</sup> 01/31/2010	Common Stock 7,000
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 22					12/11/2001 <sup>(7)</sup> 12/11/2010	Common Stock 15,000
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 18.54					12/10/2002 <sup>(7)</sup> 12/10/2011	Common Stock 15,000
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 23.19					12/09/2003 <sup>(7)</sup> 12/09/2012	Common Stock 15,000
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 19.4					12/08/2004 <sup>(7)</sup> 12/08/2013	Common Stock 8,000
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 23					12/06/2005 <sup>(7)</sup> 12/06/2014	Common Stock 10,000

