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# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, DC 20549

### FORM 4

#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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

O Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16.
Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue.
See Instruction 1(b).

Person* (L	Address of Reast, First, Mid	dle)	2.	Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  Centex Corporation (CTX)	3.		cation Number of Reporting entity (Voluntary)
87 Monarci	n Bay Drive		4.	Statement for Month/Day/Y October 7, 2002	ear 5.	If Amendmen (Month/Day/Y	nt, Date of Original ear)
	(Street)		6.	Relationship of Reporting Poto Issuer (Check All Applicab		Individual or (Check Applic	Joint/Group Filing able Line)
Monarch B	each, Ca 92629	9-3459	_	X Director O 1	0% Owner	X	Form filed by One Reporting Person
(City)	(State)	(Zip)		O Officer (give title below) O Other (specify below)	,	0	Form filed by More than One 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).

Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date 2a (Month/Day/Year)	a. Deemed Execution Date, if any. (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securiti (A) or Disp (Instr. 3	osed o	of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transactions(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownershi (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amoun	(A) or t (D)	Price			
Common Stock	10/7/02		P	5,000	A	\$39.51	17,500	D	

## Table II Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) 1. Title of Derivative 2. Conversion or Exercise 3. Transaction 3a. Deemed Execution 4. Transaction 5. Number of Derivative Securities Price of Derivative Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) Security Date Date, if any Code (Instr. 3) Security (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) CodeV (A)(D)

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**		/s/ Ra P0 A **Sig	OA for Barb: lexander Sti	porting	Date		ns. <i>See</i> 18 U.S.C. 1001 and	d 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a
	* Intentional	/s/ Ra PC A **Sig	DA for Barb: lexander Sti- nature of Re Person	porting	Date constitute Federal	Criminal Violation	ns. <i>See</i> 18 U.S.C. 1001 and sufficient, <i>see</i> Instruction 6	

#### LIMITED POWER OF ATTORNEY

The undersigned hereby appoints each of Raymond G. Smerge, Richard Ressler and Anita Nesser as her attorney-in-fact with full power to act in her name, place and stead for the limited purpose of executing on her behalf all forms required to be signed and filed by her under Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned hereunto sets her hand this 9th day of August, 2002.

/s/ BARBARA T. ALEXANDER

Barbara T. Alexander