

ESTEE LAUDER COMPANIES INC
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 *
Bond Malcolm

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
ESTEE LAUDER COMPANIES INC [EL]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
THE ESTEE LAUDER COMPANIES INC.
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
08/23/2005

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
EVP, Global Operations

NEW YORK, NY 10153

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
____ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(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) | |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|---|
| | | | | (A) or (D) | Price | | | |
| | | | | Code | V | Amount | | |
| Class A Common Stock | 08/23/2005 | | M | 33,333 | A | \$ 32.15 | 33,334 | D |
| Class A Common Stock | 08/23/2005 | | M | 8,333 | A | \$ 33.44 | 41,676 | D |
| Class A Common Stock | 08/23/2005 | | S | 3,000 | D | \$ 40.7 | 38,676 | D |
| Class A Common Stock | 08/23/2005 | | S | 800 | D | \$ | 37,876 | D |

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|----------------------------|------------|---|--------|---|-------------|--------|---|--|
| Common Stock | | | | | | 40.71 | | |
| Class A Common Stock | 08/23/2005 | S | 2,700 | D | \$ 40.72 | 35,176 | D | |
| Class A Common Stock | 08/23/2005 | S | 1,500 | D | \$ 40.73 | 33,676 | D | |
| Class A Common Stock | 08/23/2005 | S | 8,100 | D | \$ 40.74 | 25,576 | D | |
| Class A Common Stock | 08/23/2005 | S | 1,700 | D | \$ 40.75 | 23,876 | D | |
| Class A Common Stock | 08/23/2005 | S | 1,100 | D | \$ 40.76 | 22,776 | D | |
| Class A Common Stock | 08/23/2005 | S | 700 | D | \$ 40.77 | 22,076 | D | |
| Class A Common Stock | 08/23/2005 | S | 2,300 | D | \$ 40.8 | 19,776 | D | |
| Class A Common Stock | 08/23/2005 | S | 200 | D | \$ 40.88 | 19,576 | D | |
| Class A Common Stock | 08/23/2005 | S | 1,999 | D | \$ 40.96 | 17,577 | D | |
| Class A Common Stock | 08/23/2005 | S | 900 | D | \$ 40.97 | 16,677 | D | |
| Class A Common Stock | 08/23/2005 | S | 15,300 | D | \$ 40.75 | 1,377 | D | |
| Class A Common Stock | 08/23/2005 | S | 867 | D | \$ 40.79 | 510 | D | |
| Class A Common Stock | 08/23/2005 | S | 400 | D | \$ 40.8 | 110 | D | |
| Class A Common Stock | 08/23/2005 | S | 100 | D | \$ 40.81 | 10 | D | |

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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) | Amount or Number of Shares | | | |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|-----------------|-------|----------------------------|
| | | | | Code | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Class A Common Stock | \$ 32.15 | 08/23/2005 | | M | 33,333 | 01/01/2004 ⁽¹⁾ 07/10/2012 | Class A Common Stock | 33,333 | | | |
| Class A Common Stock | \$ 33.44 | 08/23/2005 | | M | 8,333 | 01/01/2005 ⁽³⁾ 08/20/2013 | Class A Common Stock | 8,333 | | | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Bond Malcolm THE ESTEE LAUDER COMPANIES INC. NEW YORK, NY 10153 | | | EVP, Global Operations | |

Signatures

Malcolm Bond, by Robin S. Elkowitz,
Attorney-in-fact

08/24/2005

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) The options that were exercised were granted pursuant to the 2002 Stock Incentive Plan. 16,666 shares remaining from this grant are exercisable from and after January 1, 2006.
- (2) Exercise of stock options granted to the Reporting Person by the Issuer on July 10, 2002.
- (3)

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The options that were exercised were granted pursuant to the 2002 Stock Incentive Plan, exercisable in three equal tranches. 8,333 shares remaining from this grant are exercisable from and after January 1, 2006; and 8,334 shares are exercisable from and after January 1, 2007.

(4) Exercise of stock options granted to the Reporting Person by the Issuer on August 20, 2003.

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