ESTEE LAUDER COMPANIES INC

Form 4

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

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

FORESTER LYNN

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

ESTEE LAUDER COMPANIES

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

INC [EL]

(Middle)

(Month/Day/Year)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 02/24/2015

X_ Director 10% Owner

Officer (give title Other (specify below)

ELR HOLDINGS, LTD., 435 EAST **52ND STREET**

(Street)

(State)

(First)

(Last)

Security

(Instr. 3)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Issuer

NEW YORK, NY 10022

(Zip) (City) 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 3. (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (I) Following (Instr. 4)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

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)

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 1. Title of (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionDerivative Derivative Conversion

5. Number of

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date**

7. Title and Amount of 8. Pr Underlying Securities

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr.	8)	Securities Acquired or Dispose (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	(A) ed of	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •				Secu (Instr
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Units (Cash Payout)	(1)	02/24/2015		A(2)		253.76		<u>(3)</u>	<u>(3)</u>	Class A Common Stock	253.76	\$ 8

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
FB	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
FORESTER LYNN ELR HOLDINGS, LTD. 435 EAST 52ND STREET NEW YORK, NY 10022	X						

Signatures

Lynn Forester de Rothschild, by Maureen Sladek, Attorney-in-fact

02/25/2015

**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) Each Stock Unit (cash payout) is convertible into cash equal to the value of one share of Class A Common Stock (i.e. 1:1).
- (2) Represents grant of Stock Units in lieu of cash for quarterly board and committee retainers, as well as annual chairmanship fee.
- (3) The Stock Units (cash payout) will be paid out the first business day of the calendar year following the last date of the Reporting Person's service as a director of the Company.

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