#### ESTEE LAUDER COMPANIES INC

Form 4 May 18, 2005

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** 

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

HOCKADAY IRVINE O JR

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

**ESTEE LAUDER COMPANIES** INC [EL]

below)

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X\_ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

2600 GRAND AVENUE, SUITE

(Street)

450

(Instr. 3)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Month/Day/Year)

05/16/2005

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

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

KANSAS CITY, MO 64108

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

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

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

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

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

(A) or

Transaction(s) (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)

1. Title of

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 6. Date Exercisable and 5. Number of (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionDerivative **Expiration Date** Derivative Conversion

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 (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/	Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)		Secur (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Units (cash payout)	\$ 0 (1)	05/16/2005		A	40.36	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Class A Common Stock	40.36	\$ 3
Stock Units (cash payout)	\$ 0 (1)	05/17/2005		A	438.94 ( <u>3)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Class A Common Stock	438.94	\$3

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

HOCKADAY IRVINE O JR 2600 GRAND AVENUE, SUITE 450 X KANSAS CITY, MO 64108

## **Signatures**

Irvine O. Hockaday, Jr., by Robin S. Elkowitz, Attorney-in-fact

05/18/2005

\*\*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) Each stock unit is convertible into cash equal to the value of one share of Class A Common Stock (i.e., 1:1).
- (2) Reflects grant of stock units in lieu of cash for meeting fee.
- (3) Reflects grant of stock units in lieu of cash for annual retainer and meeting fee.
- (4) The stock units will be paid out the first January 1 after the last date of the Reporting Person's service as a director of the Company.

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