

NOLAN JAMES W
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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 *
 NOLAN JAMES W

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 C/O SARA LEE
 CORPORATION, 70 W. MADISON
 STREET
 (Street)
 CHICAGO, IL 60602
 (City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 LEE SARA CORP [SLE]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 08/25/2005

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
 08/29/2005

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)
 Senior Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)								
common stock	08/25/2005		A	<table border="1"> <tr> <th>Code</th> <th>V</th> <th>Amount</th> <th>Price</th> </tr> <tr> <td>A</td> <td>(1)</td> <td>30,067</td> <td>\$ 19.54</td> </tr> </table>	Code	V	Amount	Price	A	(1)	30,067	\$ 19.54	52,014 (2) (3)	D	
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A	(1)	30,067	\$ 19.54												

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)

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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)		Title	Amount or Number of Shares
employee stock option (right to buy)	\$ 19.54	08/25/2005		A	68,383	08/25/2006 ⁽⁴⁾ 08/25/2015	common stock	68,383		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
NOLAN JAMES W C/O SARA LEE CORPORATION 70 W. MADISON STREET CHICAGO, IL 60602			Senior Vice President	

Signatures

/s/ Helen N. Kaminski For James W. Nolan pursuant to power of attorney previously filed. 09/08/2005

__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) Award of restricted stock units (RSUs) that may be settled only for shares of common stock on a one-for-one basis. The RSUs will vest in three equal annual installments on August 31, 2006, 2007 and 2008, subject to continued employment with Sara Lee.
 - (2) Includes 51,867 restricted stock units that may be settled only for shares of common stock. Restricted stock units generally vest one to five years after the grant date and, upon vesting, are convertible into shares of common stock on a one-for-one basis.
 - (3) Includes 147 shares acquired as a participant in the Sara Lee Corporation employee stock purchase plan.
 - (4) Option vests in three equal annual installments on each of August 25, 2006, 2007 and 2008 and expires 10 years after the date of grant.

Remarks:

This amendment corrects the Form 4 filed on August 29, 2005, which reported incorrect numbers of shares for the RSU and th

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