

MATTEL INC /DE/  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	
Klein Lisa A		(Month/Day/Year)	MATTEL INC /DE/ [MAT]	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	05/04/2012	
MATTEL, INC., 333 CONTINENTAL BOULEVARD			4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer	
(Street)			(Check all applicable)	
EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245			<input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other (give title below)    (specify below) SVP Corporate Responsibility	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)	
			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
No securities beneficially owned	0	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. SEC 1473 (7-02)

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Employee Stock Option - Right to Buy - Granted 8/29/2011	Â (1)	08/29/2021	Common Stock	25,623 \$ 26.37		D	Â
Restricted Stock Units - Granted 8/29/2011	Â (2)	Â (2)	Common Stock	5,688 \$ (3)		D	Â

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Klein Lisa A MATTEL, INC. 333 CONTINENTAL BOULEVARD EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245	Â	Â	Â SVP Corporate Responsibility	Â

## Signatures

/s/ Andrew Paalborg, Attorney-in-Fact for Lisa A. Klein  
Date: 05/14/2012

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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 stock option was granted pursuant to the Mattel, Inc. 2010 Equity and Long-Term Compensation Plan (the "2010 Plan"). The option vests and becomes exercisable with regard to (a) 33% of the shares granted on the first anniversary of the date of grant, (b) an additional 33% of the shares granted on the second anniversary of the date of grant, and (c) the remaining 34% of the shares granted on the third anniversary of the date of grant.

(2) The Restricted Stock Units ("RSUs" or the "Units") vest as to 50% of the Units granted on the second anniversary of the date of grant and as to the remaining 50% of the Units granted on the third anniversary of the date of grant. On each vesting date, for each Unit vesting on such date, the reporting person will receive one share of Mattel common stock (or, at the election of Mattel, a cash amount equal to the fair market value of one share of common stock on the date of vesting), subject to tax withholding.

(3) The RSUs were granted pursuant to the 2010 Plan. Each Unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Mattel common stock (or, at the election of Mattel, a cash amount equal to the fair market value of such share on the settlement date). The RSUs are accompanied by dividend equivalent rights.

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### Remarks:

Exhibit List

Exhibit 24 - Power of Attorney

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, See Instruction 6 for procedure.

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