ABERCROMBIE & FITCH CO /DE/

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

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See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * JEFFRIES MICHAEL S			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ABERCROMBIE & FITCH CO	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
			/DE/ [ANF]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify		
6301 FITCH PATH			07/14/2005	below) below) Chairman and CEO		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
NEW ALBANY, OH 43054				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 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) 5. Amount of 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Code Beneficially Form: Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Direct (D) Ownership Following or Indirect (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Class A Common 07/14/2005 M 19,782 \$8 D A 1,376,484 Stock Class A Common 07/14/2005 M 105,118 A 1,481,602 D Stock Class A Common 07/14/2005 S 45,800 D \$70 1,435,802 D Stock Class A 07/14/2005 S 1,400 \$ D D 1,434,402 70.02 Common

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Stock							
Class A Common Stock	07/14/2005	S	200	D	\$ 70.03	1,434,202	D
Class A Common Stock	07/14/2005	S	300	D	\$ 70.04	1,433,902	D
Class A Common Stock	07/14/2005	S	1,300	D	\$ 70.05	1,432,602	D
Class A Common Stock	07/14/2005	S	1,500	D	\$ 70.06	1,431,102	D
Class A Common Stock	07/14/2005	S	700	D	\$ 70.07	1,430,402	D
Class A Common Stock	07/14/2005	S	800	D	\$ 70.08	1,429,602	D
Class A Common Stock	07/14/2005	S	500	D	\$ 70.09	1,429,102	D
Class A Common Stock	07/14/2005	S	2,000	D	\$ 70.1	1,427,102	D
Class A Common Stock	07/14/2005	S	200	D	\$ 70.11	1,426,902	D
Class A Common Stock	07/14/2005	S	2,200	D	\$ 70.12	1,424,702	D
Class A Common Stock	07/14/2005	S	300	D	\$ 70.13	1,424,402	D
Class A Common Stock	07/14/2005	S	700	D	\$ 70.14	1,423,702	D
Class A Common Stock	07/14/2005	S	1,800	D	\$ 70.15	1,421,902	D
Class A Common Stock	07/14/2005	S	1,100	D	\$ 70.16	1,420,802	D

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Class A Common Stock	07/14/2005	S	10,000	D	\$ 70.17	1,410,802	D	
Class A Common Stock	07/14/2005	S	7,500	D	\$ 70.18	1,403,302	D	
Class A Common Stock	07/14/2005	S	3,000	D	\$ 70.19	1,400,302	D	
Class A Common Stock	07/14/2005	S	9,600	D	\$ 70.2	1,390,702	D	
Class A Common Stock	07/14/2005	S	1,800	D	\$ 70.21	1,388,902	D	
Class A Common Stock	07/14/2005	S	2,200	D	\$ 70.22	1,386,702	D	
Class A Common Stock	07/14/2005	S	1,400	D	\$ 70.23	1,385,302	D	
Class A Common Stock	07/14/2005	S	1,200	D	\$ 70.24	1,384,102	D	
Class A Common Stock	07/14/2005	S	2,000	D	\$ 70.25	1,382,102	D	
Class A Common Stock	07/14/2005	S	600	D	\$ 70.26	1,381,502	D	
Class A Common Stock	07/14/2005	S	500	D	\$ 70.27	1,381,002	D	
Class A Common Stock						800	I	By Custodian For Child

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and		6. Date Exercise Expiration Date (Month/Day/Y	e	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount of Number of Shares		
Stock Option - Right to Buy	\$ 8	07/14/2005		M		19,782	02/01/2003	05/14/2007	Class A Common Stock	19,782		
Stock Option - Right to Buy	\$ 23.41	07/14/2005		M		105,118	<u>(1)</u>	08/01/2008	Class A Common Stock	105,113		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
Topozung O When I while P I was ess	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
JEFFRIES MICHAEL S 6301 FITCH PATH NEW ALBANY, OH 43054	X		Chairman and CEO					

Signatures

By: Robert J. Tannous,
Attorney-in-Fact

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

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) Option vests 20% per year beginning on the second anniversary of the date of grant.

Remarks:

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