#### ESTEE LAUDER COMPANIES INC

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

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* TRUST F/B/O LAUDER AERIN & JANE U/A/D 12/15/76 BY ESTEE &JHL

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O RICHARD D. PARSONS, 1 TIME WARNER CENTER

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

**ESTEE LAUDER COMPANIES** INC [EL]

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

05/24/2005

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title below)

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 Form filed by More than One Reporting

NEW YORK, NY 10019

(State) (Zip) (City) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

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

(A)

or

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

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

Class A

(Instr. 3)

Common 05/24/2005 Stock

J(1)

Code V

750,000 D

Amount

(Instr. 3 and 4) Price (D)

 $1,250,000 \stackrel{(2)}{=}$ 

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)	Code (Instr. 8)	5. ionNumber of Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)	5	ate	Amou Under Secur	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)  Amount or Title Number of Shares	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
					(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		Expiration Date	Title			

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

TRUST F/B/O LAUDER AERIN & JANE U/A/D 12/15/76 BY ESTEE &JHL C/O RICHARD D. PARSONS 1 TIME WARNER CENTER NEW YORK, NY 10019

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# **Signatures**

Richard D. Parsons, Trustee, by Robin S. Elkowitz, Attorney-in-fact

05/26/2005

\*\*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) On May 24, 2005, the AL Trust (as defined below) distributed 750,000 Class A Common shares to its beneficiary without consideration.
- After this distribution, the amount of Class A Common Stock beneficially owned by the reporting person is 1,250,000, which includes 250,000 in the AL Trust and 1,000,000 in the JL Trust (as defined below).

#### **Remarks:**

(\*) The full name of the Reporting Person is: Trust f/b/o Aerin Lauder and Jane Lauder, u/a/d December 15, 1976, by Estee L Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.

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