WHISLER PATRICIA K

Form 4

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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and A WHISLER	Symbol	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BUCKLE INC [BKE]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
	BUCKI										
(Last)	(First) (N		3. Date of Earliest Transaction								
2407 W 24T		(Month/Day/Year) 02/01/2009				Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) VP WOMEN'S MERCHANDISING					
	(Street)	4. If Ame	4. If Amendment, Date Original				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check				
KEARNEY		`	Filed(Month/Day/Year)					Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative S	ecurit	ies Acc	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficial	lly Owned		
(Instr. 3) any (Month)		Execution Date, if	on Date, if Transaction Code				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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	02/01/2009		A	15,000	A	\$0	153,274 (1)	D			

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. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)		ate Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	of ng s	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	or Title Nu of	umber		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

WHISLER PATRICIA K 2407 W 24TH STREET KEARNEY, NE 68845

VP WOMEN'S MERCHANDISING

Signatures

Karen B. Rhoads by Power of Attorney 02/02/2009

**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) Number of shares beneficially owned has been adjusted to reflect 3-for-2 stock split on 10/30/2008.

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