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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Aerin Lauder Zinterhofer 2008 **Grantor Retained Annuity Trust**

(First)

(Street)

(Middle)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

ESTEE LAUDER COMPANIES INC [EL]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 01/21/2011

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

(Check all applicable)

C/O THE ESTEE LAUDER **COMPANIES INC., 767 FIFTH**

AVENUE

(Last)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Director

Officer (give title

Form filed by One Reporting Person X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

NEW YORK, NY 10153

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

3. Code (Instr. 8)

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

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

(A) Code V Amount (D) Price

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities (A) or Dis (D) (Instr. 3, 4	Acquired sposed of	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount of Number of Shares
Class B Common Stock	(1)	01/21/2011		J(2)		60,500	(3)	(3)	Class A Common Stock	60,50
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Class B Common Stock	(1)						(3)	(3)	Class A Common Stock	750,00
Class B Common Stock	(1)						(3)	<u>(3)</u>	Class A Common Stock	2,405,2

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
F	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Aerin Lauder Zinterhofer 2008 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust C/O THE ESTEE LAUDER COMPANIES INC. 767 FIFTH AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10153		X				
LAUDER AERIN C/O THE ESTEE LAUDER COMPANIES INC. 767 FIFTH AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10153	X	X				
ZINTERHOFER AERIN LAUDER TRUST U/A/D 4/24/00 C/O RICHARD D. PARSONS		X				

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9 WEST 57TH STREET, SUITE 4700 NEW YORK, NY 10019

Signatures

Aerin Lauder Zinterhofer, Trustee, by Spencer G. Smul, attorney-in-fact

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Aerin Lauder, by Spencer G. Smul, attorney-in-fact

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Richard D. Parsons, Trustee, Aerin Lauder Zinterhofer 2000 Revocable Trust, by Spencer G.

01/25/2011

Smul, attorney-in-fact

**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) There is no conversion price for the Class B Common Stock. It is convertible into shares of Class A Common Stock on a one-to-one basis
- On January 21, 2011, the Reporting Person distributed 60,500 shares of Class B Common Stock to the Aerin Lauder Zinterhofer Trust

 (2) U/A/D 4/24/00 (the "2000 Trust") in partial satisfaction of an amount payable due under the terms of the Aerin Lauder Zinterhofer 2008

 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust Agreement (the "2008 Grat").
- Shares of Class B Common Stock may be converted immediately into Class A Common Stock on a one-for-one basis by the holder and are automatically converted into Class A Common Stock on a one-for-one basis upon transfer to a person or entity that is not a "Permitted Transferee" or soon after a record date for a meeting of stockholders where the outstanding Class B Common Stock
- constitutes less than 10% of the outstanding shares of Common Stock of the Issuer.
 - After the transaction described in note 2, the amount of Class A Common Stock and Class B Common Stock beneficially owned by Aerin Lauder includes (a) 846 shares of Class A Common Stock and 750,000 shares of Class B Common Stock directly and with respect
- to which she has sole voting and investment power; (b) 5,004,796 shares of Class B Common Stock indirectly as Trustee and ultimate beneficial owner of the 2008 GRAT and with respect to which she has sole voting and investment power; (c) 836,462 shares of Class B Common Stock indirectly as Grantor and beneficial owner of the 2000 Trust; and (d) 2,405,297 shares of Class B Common Stock indirectly as a co-trustee of Trust Under Article 2 of The Zinterhofer 2008 Descendents Trust Agreement dated December 24, 2008.

Remarks:

(4)

Not applicable.

a currently valid OMB number.

*The full name of the Reporting Trust is: Aerin Lauder Zinterhofer 2008 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust, u/a/d December 24 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

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