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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

A Napier Katherine S

(Last)

(First) (Middle) Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

12/01/2006

2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Alberto-Culver CO [ACV]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

\_X\_ Director

Officer

5. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

431 E. 9TH STREET

(Street)

(Check all applicable)

(give title below) (specify below)

10% Owner Other

6. Individual or Joint/Group

Filing(Check Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting

Person

Form filed by More than One

Reporting Person

HINSDALE, ILÂ 60521

(City) (State)

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)

(Zip)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

(Instr. 4)

Ownership Form:

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial

Ownership (Instr. 5)

Direct (D) or Indirect

(I) (Instr. 5)

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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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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

5. Ownership Form of Derivative

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

Expiration Date Exercisable Date

Title

Amount or Number of Shares

Derivative Security: Security Direct (D) or Indirect (I)

(Instr. 5)

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Napier Katherine S

431 E. 9TH STREET Â X Â Â

HINSDALE, ILÂ 60521

## **Signatures**

/s/James M. Spira as attorney-in-fact for Katherine S. Napier

12/07/2006

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## **Explanation of Responses:**

No securities are beneficially owned

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(b)(v).
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