JACKSON LABAN Form 4

May 31, 2005

FORM 4

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

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may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **JACKSON LABAN**

(First) (Middle) (Last)

2365 HARRODSBURG ROAD, SUITE B-230

(Street)

Symbol

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

HOME DEPOT INC [HD] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 05/26/2005

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Issuer

below)

LEXINGTON, KY 40504

1. Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

Code (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)

3.

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

4. Securities

Following Reported (A) or

Code V Amount (D) Price

number.

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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X_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

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

5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Form: Direct Indirect Beneficially (D) or Indirect Beneficial Owned (I) Ownership

(Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

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)

1. Title of 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 5. Number of 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amount of Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if **Transaction**Derivative **Expiration Date Underlying Securities** Security or Exercise any Code Securities Acquired (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)					
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount of Number of Shares
Deferred Shares	(1)	05/27/2005		A	2,001.5011		<u>(1)</u>	(1)	Common Stock	2,001.50
Deferred Stock Units	(2)	05/26/2005		A	87.6754		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	87.675
Deferred Stock Units	<u>(2)</u>	05/27/2005		A	1,000.7506		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	1,000.75
Stock Options	<u>(3)</u>	05/27/2005		A	9,000		(3)	(3)	Common Stock	9,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
r	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
JACKSON LABAN 2365 HARRODSBURG ROAD SUITE B-230 LEXINGTON, KY 40504	X						

Signatures

/s/ Rita L. Fadell, Attorney-in-Fact 05/31/2005

**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).
- The Deferred Shares were granted under The Home Depot, Inc. 2005 Omnibus Stock Incentive Plan and convert to shares of Common (1) Stock on a one-for-one basis upon the earlier of (i) the first anniversary of the director's termination of service as a Board member, (ii) the date of the director's death, retirement or disability, or (iii) the date of a change in control of the Company.
- (2) The Deferred Stock Units convert to shares of Common Stock on a one-for-one basis following a termination of service as described in The Home Depot, Inc. NonEmployee Directors' Deferred Stock Compensation Plan.
- (3) The stock options were issued under The Home Depot, Inc. 2005 Omnibus Stock Incentive Plan and are exercisable in 25% increments on the 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th anniversaries of the grant date.

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