ANIXTER INTERNATIONAL INC

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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

See Instruction

1(b).

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading LETHAM DENNIS J Issuer Symbol ANIXTER INTERNATIONAL INC (Check all applicable) [AXE] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner Other (specify _X__ Officer (give title (Month/Day/Year) below) C/O ANIXTER INTERNATIONAL 07/15/2005 Senior VP-Finance & CFO INC., 2301 PATRIOT BLVD (Street) 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 GLENVIEW, IL 60026

(City)	(State) ((Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acqu	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d of (D)	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	07/15/2005		M M	Amount 3,000	(D)	\$ 14.72	112,715 (1)	D	
Common Stock	07/15/2005		S(2)	500	D	\$ 36.62	112,215 (1)	D	
Common Stock	07/15/2005		S(2)	400	D	\$ 36.68	111,815 <u>(1)</u>	D	
Common Stock	07/15/2005		S(2)	500	D	\$ 36.7	111,315 (1)	D	
Common Stock	07/15/2005		S(2)	600	D	\$ 36.71	110,715 <u>(1)</u>	D	

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Common Stock	07/15/2005	S(2)	200	D	\$ 36.72	110,515 (1)	D
Common Stock	07/15/2005	S(2)	100	D	\$ 36.8	110,415 (1)	D
Common Stock	07/15/2005	S(2)	200	D	\$ 36.82	110,215 (1)	D
Common Stock	07/15/2005	S(2)	500	D	\$ 36.83	109,715 (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)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Nu	ımber	6. Date Exerci	sable 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	Secu	rities	(Month/Day/Y	ear)	(Instr. 3 and	4)
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acqu	ired				
	Derivative				(A) c	r				
	Security				Disp	osed of				
					(D)					
					(Insti	: 3, 4,				
					and 5	5)				
										Amount
							Date	Expiration	m: 1	or
							Exercisable	Date	Title	Number
				C-J- V	(A)	(D)				of
				Code V	(A)	(D)				Shares
Options										
to									Common	
Purchase	\$ 14.72	07/15/2005		M		3,000	01/17/1997	01/17/2007	Common Stock	3,000
Common									2.50411	

Reporting Owners

Stock (3)

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		

LETHAM DENNIS J C/O ANIXTER INTERNATIONAL INC. 2301 PATRIOT BLVD GLENVIEW, IL 60026

Senior VP-Finance & CFO

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Signatures

John A. Dul, by power of attorney

07/18/2005

**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) Total includes 58,000 common stock units.
- (2) The shares covered by this Form 4 have been sold pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1(c) sales plan dated May 9, 2005.
- (3) This option was previously reported as covering 45,000 shares at an exercise price of \$15.50. The exercise price and totals have been adjusted pursuant to an anti-dilution provision triggered by an extraordinary cash dividend paid on March 31, 2004.

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