LAUREN RALPH

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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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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * LAUREN RALPH

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

POLO RALPH LAUREN CORP

(Check all applicable)

[RL]

(Last) (First)

650 MADISON AVE

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

_X__ Director X_ Officer (give title below)

X 10% Owner _ Other (specify

(Month/Day/Year)

06/15/2005

Chairman and CEO

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

NEW YORK, NY 10022

(City) (State) (Zip)

(Street)

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

(1)

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

(Middle)

3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially (D) or Owned Following Reported

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

(A) or Amount (D)

Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Price

Class A Common

06/15/2005

100,000

Code V

Α

301,788.72

D

Stock

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 orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	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	Amoun Numbe Shares
Option issued purs. to 1997 Long-Term Stock Incentive Plan	\$ 43.04	06/15/2005		A	150,000	<u>(2)</u>	06/15/2015	Class A Common Stock	150,0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
Fg	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
LAUREN RALPH 650 MADISON AVE NEW YORK, NY 10022	X	X	Chairman and CEO			

Signatures

/s/ Edward W. Scheuermann, Attorney-in-Fact for Ralph Lauren 06/17/2005

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

**Signature of Reporting Person

- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Represents restricted stock units payable solely in stock granted under the issuer's 1997 Long Term Stock Incentive Plan.
- (2) The options were granted pursuant to the issuer's 1997 Long-Term Stock Incentive Plan and vest and become exerciseable in three equal annual installments beginning on June 15, 2006.

Date

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