EPPLER KLAUS Form 4

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

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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

may continue. See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

EPPLER KLAUS

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading

Symbol

BED BATH & BEYOND INC

[BBBY]

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

02/25/2006

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

10% Owner

_ Other (specify

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C/O PROSKAUER ROSE

LLP, 1585 BROADWAY

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

_X__ Director

Officer (give title

X Form filed by One Reporting Person ____ Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

NEW YORK, NY 10036

(City)	(State)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired n(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or Amount (D) Price		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)		
Connon Stock, \$.01 par value per share	02/25/2006		A	614	A	\$ 36.66 (1)	5,587	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 Derivative	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transacti	5. orNumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration D		7. Title		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
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					Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title N	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address 10% Owner Officer Other Director **EPPLER KLAUS** C/O PROSKAUER ROSE LLP X

Signatures

1585 BROADWAY NEW YORK, NY 10036

/s/ Ori Solomon, 03/03/2006 Attorney-in-Fact

**Signature of Reporting Person

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).
- \$22,500 of Mr. Eppler's directors fees for the fiscal year ended February 25, 2006 were paid in Common Stock of the Company pursuant to a plan adopted by the Company and the number of shares was determined based on a price of \$36.66 per share.

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