PATTERSON COMPANIES, INC.

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

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SECURITIES

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

| FRECHETTE PETER L | | | Symbol PATTERSON COMPANIES, INC. [PDCO] | | | | | Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | |
|--|--------------------------------------|--------------|---|---------------------------------------|---|--------------------|---------|---|--|---|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) PATTERSON COMPANIES, INC., 1031 MENDOTA HEIGHTS | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/26/2009 | | | | | X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) Director & Chairman | | | |
| RD. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | (Street) | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) | | | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting | | | |
| ST. PAUL, N | MN 55120 | | | | | | | Person | More than One Ro | eporung | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | Table | e I - Non-E | erivative S | Securi | ties Ac | quired, Disposed o | of, or Beneficia | lly Owned | |
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year | r) Execution | med on Date, if Day/Year) | 3. Transacti Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securi onAcquirec Disposec (Instr. 3, | l (A) c l 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 | 06/26/2009 | | | A(1) | 169 | A | \$0 | 8,870 | D | | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | 5,177,673 | I | In Trust (2) | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | 161,844 | I | GRAT (3) | |
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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 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. | 6. Date Exerc | cisable and | 7. Title | and | 8. Price of | 9. Nu |
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| Derivati | ve Conversion | (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if | Transacti | orNumber | Expiration D | ate | Amount | of | Derivative | Deriv |
| Security | or Exercise | | any | Code | of | (Month/Day/ | Year) | Underly | ing | Security | Secui |
| (Instr. 3) |) Price of | | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | Derivativ | e | | Securitie | es | (Instr. 5) | Bene |
| | Derivative | | | | Securities | ; | | (Instr. 3 | and 4) | | Own |
| | Security | | | | Acquired | | | | | | Follo |
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| | | | | | (Instr. 3, | | | | | | |
| | | | | | 4, and 5) | | | | | | |
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| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | | | S | hares | | |

Reporting Owners

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

FRECHETTE PETER L PATTERSON COMPANIES, INC. 1031 MENDOTA HEIGHTS RD. ST. PAUL, MN 55120

X

Director & Chairman

Signatures

Peter L. 06/26/2009 Frechette

**Signature of Date 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).
- (1) Shares allocated to Reporting Person pursuant to the Patterson Companies, Inc. Employee Stock Ownership Plan.
- Shares owned by a revocable trust of which the Reporting Person is the settlor and one of the trustees. Since the Reporting Person's last **(2)** filing, 838,156 shares were transferred from the Grantor Retained Annuity Trust to the revocable trust.
- (3) Held by Grantor Retained Annuity Trust.

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