Telles Adolpho R Form 4 June 06, 2012

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Telles Adolpho R

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

HELEN OF TROY LTD [HELE]

(Last)

(City)

(Middle) (First)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X Director

10% Owner Other (specify

(Month/Day/Year) 06/01/2012

(Zip)

below) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Officer (give title

Applicable Line)

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

Person

1 HELEN OF TROY PLAZA

(Street)

(State)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

EL PASO, TX 79912

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

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

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

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

SEC 1474

(9-02)

(A) Transaction(s) or

(2)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Amount (D) Price

Common Shares, par

value \$0.10

per share

06/01/2012

\$0 (1) A 438 Α

9.276

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)

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivati Securitic Acquire (A) or Dispose of (D) (Instr. 3 4, and 5	(Month/Day/Y ve es d	te	7. Title and 2. Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Common share tax-offset right	(2)	06/01/2012		A	0 (2)	06/01/2012	06/01/2012	Common share tax-offset right (2)	0 (2)
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Telles Adolpho R 1 HELEN OF TROY PLAZA EL PASO, TX 79912	X					

Signatures

Vincent D. Carson as Attorney-In-Fact for Adolpho R.
Telles

06/06/2012

**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) Grant of restricted stock, which vested immediately and is accompanied by a tax-offset right.
- (2) The accompanying tax-offset right entitles the reporting person to receive, upon vesting of the restricted stock, a cash amount to pay certain tax liabilities incurred in connection with the event.

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