

BLAKE FRANCIS S
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
BLAKE FRANCIS S

(Last) (First) (Middle)
2455 PACES FERRY ROAD
(Street)

ATLANTA, GA 30339

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
HOME DEPOT INC [HD]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
01/31/2006

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
EVP - Bus. Dev. & Corp. Ops.

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
____ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| | | | | (A) or (D) | Code V Amount (D) Price | | |

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 Security | 2. Conversion or Exercise | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any | 4. Transaction Code | 5. Number of Derivative Securities | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------|------------------------------------|--|---|
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| (Instr. 3) | Price of Derivative Security | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) Code | Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount of Number of Shares |
|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------|--------------------|---|----------------------|-----|---------------------|--------------------|-----------------|----------------------------------|
| Restoration Plan Stock Units | <u>(1)</u> | 06/23/2005 | A | | 4.5969 <u>(2)</u> | | <u>(1)</u> | <u>(1)</u> | Common Stock | 4.5969 |
| Restoration Plan Stock Units | <u>(1)</u> | 09/16/2005 | A | | 4.4715 <u>(2)</u> | | <u>(1)</u> | <u>(1)</u> | Common Stock | 4.4715 |
| Restoration Plan Stock Units | <u>(1)</u> | 12/15/2005 | A | | 4.352 <u>(2)</u> | | <u>(1)</u> | <u>(1)</u> | Common Stock | 4.352 |
| Restoration Plan Stock Units | <u>(1)</u> | 01/31/2006 | A | | 1,044.01 | | <u>(1)</u> | <u>(1)</u> | Common Stock | 1,044.0 |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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ATLANTA, GA 30339

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Signatures

/s/ Jonathan M. Gottsegen,
Attorney-in-Fact

02/02/2006

**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) The restoration plan stock units were acquired under The Home Depot FutureBuilder Restoration Plan and convert to shares of common stock on a one-for-one basis upon a distribution event under the terms of the Plan.

(2) Acquired pursuant to quarterly dividend.

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