BUCKLE INC Form 4 January 14, 2008

FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * NELSON DENNIS H			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BUCKLE INC [BKE]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
2407 W 24TI	H STREET		(Month/Day/Year) 01/10/2008	_X_ Director 10% Owner Selection Other (specify below) PRESIDENT & CEO		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
KEARNEY, NE 68845			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acq	quired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	y 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. Securit order Dispos (Instr. 3,	sed of	` '	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	01/10/2008		M	51	A	\$ 12.8956	1,595,638	D	
Common Stock							45,000	I	By Wife
Common Stock							2,320.93 (4)	I	Held by 401(k) Plan

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)

 Title of Derivative 	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transactio	5. iorNumber	6. Date Exer Expiration D		7. Title and A Underlying S		8. Pri Deriv
Security	or Exercise	(Internal 2 diff 1 cdi)	any	Code	of	(Month/Day		(Instr. 3 and		Secui
(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)					(Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option (Right to Purchase)	\$ 12.8956 (1)	01/10/2008		M	51 (2)	<u>(3)</u>	01/30/2008	Common Stock	51 (2)	\$

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
FS	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
NELSON DENNIS H 2407 W 24TH STREET KEARNEY, NE 68845	X		PRESIDENT & CEO					

Signatures

Karen B. Rhoads by Power of Attorney 01/14/2008

**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) Exercise price was originally reported as \$33.50. Exercise price has been adjusted in accordance with the terms of the stock option plan to reflect 3/2 stock split on 6/8/1998, payment of special cash dividend on 1/2/2007, and 3/2 stock split on 1/12/2007.
- Number of stock options granted was originally reported as 70,000. Number of stock options outstanding has been adjusted in accordance (2) with the terms of the stock option plan to reflect 3/2 stock split on 6/8/1998, payment of special cash dividend on 1/2/2007, and 3/2 stock split on 1/12/2007.
- (3) Exercisable upon certification of goals being met 1/3 immediately, 1/3 on 1/29/2000, and 1/3 on 2/3/2001.
- (4) Holdings as of 10/31/2007, as reported by plan administrator.

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