SHADA JAMES E Form 4

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

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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

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

BUCKLE INC [BKE]

Symbol

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

SHADA JAMES E

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

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(Last)	(First)	(Middle) 3	. Date of Earliest Transaction	
2407 W 24	4TH STREET		Month/Day/Year)X_ Director X_ Officer (give below)	10% Owner title Other (specify below) TIVE VP SALES
	(Street)		Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by C	int/Group Filing(Check
KEARNE	Y, NE 68845		Person	Iore than One Reporting
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	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 Da any (Month/Day/	Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially	6. 7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Form: Beneficial Direct (D) Ownership or Indirect (Instr. 4) (I) (Instr. 4)
Stock	05/16/2005		S 10,000 D 39.3461 65,118	D
Common Stock			450	I by Dependent 2
Common Stock			450	I by Dependent 3
Common Stock			150	I by Dependent 4

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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. Titl	e and	8. Price of	9
Derivativ	e Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orNumber	Expiration Da	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative	J
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security	,
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)]
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr.	3 and 4)		(
	Security				Acquired						J
					(A) or						J
					Disposed						-
					of (D)						(
					(Instr. 3,						
					4, and 5)						
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						Exercisable	Date	Title			
				Code V	(A) (D)						
				Code V	(A) (D)		*	Title	Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
Reporting Owner Name / Address	

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SHADA JAMES E

2407 W 24TH STREET X EXECUTIVE VP SALES

KEARNEY, NE 68845

Signatures

Karen B. Rhoads by Power of Attorney 05/17/2005

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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