NELSON DENNIS H

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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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 (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Chook an approved)		
2407 W 24TH STREET			(Month/Day/Year) 12/06/2006	_X_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify below) PRESIDENT & CEO		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Chec		
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 Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) 5. Amount of 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Code Beneficially Form: Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Direct (D) Ownership Following or Indirect (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common 12/06/2006 M 14,100 A 1,050,358 D Stock 20.8333 Common 1,044,358 12/06/2006 S 6,000 D D 46.5042 Stock Common S 12/06/2006 2,000 D D 1,042,358 46.5019 Stock Common S 12/06/2006 5,000 D \$ 46.4 1,037,358 D Stock Common 12/06/2006 S 1,100 D 1,036,258 D Stock

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Common Stock	12/07/2006	M	2,900	A	\$ 20.8333	1,039,158	D	
Common Stock	12/07/2006	S	2,900	D	\$ 46.6	1,036,258	D	
Common Stock						30,000	I	by Wife
Common Stock						1,474.85 (5)	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)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration I (Month/Day	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount o Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share	
Stock Option (Right to Purchase)	\$ 20.8333 (1)	12/06/2006		M	14,10 (2)	0 (3)	12/26/2007(4)	Common Stock	14,100 (2)	
Stock Option (Right to Purchase)	\$ 20.8333 (1)	12/07/2006		M	2,900 (2)	(3)	12/26/2007(4)	Common Stock	2,900 (2)	

Reporting Owners

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

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Signatures

Karen B. Rhoads by Power of Attorney

12/07/2006

**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) Exercise price was originally reported as \$31.25, but has subsequently been adjusted to reflect 3/2 stock split on 6/8/1998.
- (2) Number of stock options granted was originally reported as 100,000, but has subsequently been adjusted to reflect 3/2 stock split on 6/8/1998.
- (3) Date exercisable was originally incorrectly reported as 100 percent exercisable on 12/25/2002. It should have instead been reported as 100 percent exercisable on 12/26/2002.
- (4) Expiration date was originally incorrectly reported as 12/25/2007. It should have instead been reported as 12/26/2007.
- (5) Holdings as of 10/31/2006, as reported by plan administrator.

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