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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person \* Statement LOWES COMPANIES INC [LOW] BERNAUER DAVID W (Month/Day/Year) 05/25/2007 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 1000 LOWE'S BOULEVARD (Check all applicable) (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) \_X\_ Director 10% Owner \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Officer \_ Other Person (give title below) (specify below) MOORESVILLE, NCÂ 28117 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 2. Amount of Securities 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) D Â Common Stock 10,000 Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of

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 $Table\ II\ -\ Derivative\ Securities\ Beneficially\ Owned\ (\textit{e.g.},\ puts,\ calls,\ warrants,\ options,\ convertible\ securities)$ 

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		Securities Underlying Derivative Security		4. Conversion or Exercise	5. 6. Nature of Indirect Ownership Form of (Instr. 5)	
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	(Instr. 4) Title	Amount or Number of	Price of Derivative Security	Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	

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Shares (I) (Instr. 5)

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BERNAUER DAVID W 1000 LOWE'S BOULEVARD MOORESVILLE, NCÂ 28117

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**Signatures** 

By: Sandra Felton For: David W. Bernauer

05/29/2007

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## **Explanation of Responses:**

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