SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Singer Robert S			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ABERCROMBIE & FITCH CO /DE/ [ANF]					
(Last) (Fi	,	(Middle)	05/17/2004		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)		
6301 FITCH PATH					(Check all applicable)			05/26/2004		
Ň	^(Street) EW ALBANY, OH 43054				XDirector10% Owne _XOfficerOther (give title below) (specify below) President and COO			 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person 		
(City) (Sta	ate)	(Zip)	Т	able I - N	on-Derivati	ve Securiti	es Bei	neficially Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 4)			В	. Amount of Geneficially (Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nat Owner (Instr.	*		
Class A Common	n Stock		1	,000		D	Â			
Reminder: Report on owned directly or inc	-	e line for eac	ch class of securit	ties beneficia	ally SE	EC 1473 (7-02))			
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Table	II - Deriv	ative Secur	ities Beneficially	Owned (e.g	g., puts, calls,	warrants, opti	ions, co	onvertible securities)		

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		or Exercise		6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title Amount or Security Number of	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect		

Estimated average burden hours per

response...

0.5

Shares

(I) (In

(Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Singer Robert S 6301 FITCH PATH NEW ALBANY, OH 43054	ÂX	Â	President and COO	Â			
Signatures							
By: Robert J. Tannous, Attorney-in-Fact	10/08/2004						
**Signature of Reporting Person		Date					
Evaluation of Deenenees							

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(b)(v).

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