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(Print or Type Responses)		
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person SHADA JAMES E	 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) 2407 W 24TH STREET	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/14/2008	X Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) EXECUTIVE VP SALES
(Street) KEARNEY, NE 68845	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	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) (State) (Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities A	cquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned
(Instr. 3) any	eemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 4 tion Date, if Transactionor Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) h/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (A) or Code V Amount (D) Pri	SecuritiesOwnershipIndirectBeneficiallyForm:BeneficialOwnedDirect (D)OwnershipFollowingor Indirect(Instr. 4)Reported(I)Transaction(s)(Instr. 4)
Common Stock		46,310 D
Common 04/14/2008 Stock	M 20,000 A ^{\$} 15.1 [°]	733 151,992 I By Trust
Common 04/14/2008 Stock	S 20,000 D \$46	131,992 I By Trust

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)	2. 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 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date Expiration Date Securities (Month/Day/Year) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Purchase)	\$ 15.1733 (1)	04/14/2008		М	20,000 (2)	(3)	01/31/2014	Common Stock	20,000 (2)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address			Relationships	
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SHADA JAMES E 2407 W 24TH STREET KEARNEY, NE 68845	Х		EXECUTIVE VP SALES	
Signatures				
Karen B. Rhoads by Power of Attorney		04/16/2	2008	
<u>**Signature of Reporting Person</u>		Date		

**Signature of Reporting Person

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).
- Exercise price was originally reported as \$25.75. Exercise price has been adjusted in accordance with the terms of the stock option plan to (1)reflect 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 51,750. Number of stock options outstanding has been adjusted in accordance (2)with the terms of the stock option plan to reflect payment of special cash dividend on 1/2/2007 and 3/2 stock split on 1/12/2007.
- (3) Exercisable upon certification of goal being met 1/3 immediately, 1/3 on 1/28/2006, and 1/3 on 12/13/2006.

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