#### ANIXTER INTERNATIONAL INC

Form 4

February 15, 2006

# FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MENO PHILIP F |                   |       | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ANIXTER INTERNATIONAL INC [AXE] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to<br>Issuer  (Check all applicable)  |  |  |
|---|-------------------|-------|---|--|--|--|
| (Last)  C/O ANIXTE INC., 2301 PA                        |                   |       | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/13/2006                 | Director 10% Owner Other (specify below)  Vice President-Taxes   |  |  |
| GLENVIEW,   | (Street) IL 60026 |       | 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)           | (Zin) |   |  |  |  |

| (City)                               | (State)                                 | (Zip) Tabl  | e I - Non-D   | erivative      | Secur                  | rities Acq     | uired, Disposed o  | f, or Beneficial   | ly Owned  |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|---|----------------|------------------------|----------------|--|--|---|
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3. 4. Securities A<br>Transaction(A) or Dispos<br>Code (Instr. 3, 4 and<br>(Instr. 8) |                | ispose<br>4 and<br>(A) | ed of (D)      | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or<br>Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 02/13/2006                              |   | Code V<br>F   | Amount 295 (1) | ` /                    | Price \$ 45.03 | 8,410 (2)  | D  |   |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 02/14/2006                              |   | M   | 6,435          | A                      | \$<br>14.91    | 14,845 (2)   | D  |   |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 02/14/2006                              |   | M   | 5,849          | A                      | \$<br>10.85    | 20,694 (2)   | D  |   |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 02/14/2006                              |   | S   | 784            | D                      | \$<br>46.21    | 19,910 (2)   | D  |   |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 02/14/2006                              |   | S   | 600            | D                      | \$<br>46.13    | 19,310 (2)   | D  |   |

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| Common<br>Stock | 02/14/2006 | S | 6,200 | D | \$<br>46.12 | 13,110 (2) | D |
|-----------------|------------|---|-------|---|-------------|------------|---|
| Common<br>Stock | 02/14/2006 | S | 100   | D | \$<br>46.11 | 13,010 (2) | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 02/14/2006 | S | 1,200 | D | \$ 46.1     | 11,810 (2) | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 02/14/2006 | S | 1,900 | D | \$<br>46.09 | 9,910 (2)  | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 02/14/2006 | S | 1,500 | D | \$<br>46.08 | 8,410 (2)  | D |

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<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transactic<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number on f Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |                    | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |  |
|---|---|---|---|--|---|--|--------------------|---|--|
|   |   |   |   | Code V                                 | (A) (D)   | Date<br>Exercisable  | Expiration<br>Date | Title   | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares |
| Options to purchase common stock (3)                | \$ 14.91  | 02/14/2006                              |   | M                                      | 6,435   | 02/18/1999   | 02/18/2008         | Common<br>Stock   | 6,435                                  |
| Options<br>to<br>purchase<br>common<br>stock (4)    | \$ 10.85  | 02/14/2006                              |   | M                                      | 5,849   | 03/01/2000   | 03/01/2009         | Common<br>stock   | 5,849                                  |

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

2 Reporting Owners

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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MENO PHILIP F C/O ANIXTER INTERNATIONAL INC. 2301 PATRIOT BLVD GLENVIEW, IL 60026

Vice President-Taxes

## **Signatures**

John A. Dul, by power of attorney

02/15/2006

\*\*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) Number of shares being withheld by issuer for tax liabilities triggered when previously granted restricted stock units converted to shares of common stock.
- (2) Total includes 7,000 common stock units.
- This option was previously reported as covering 5,500 shares at an exercise price of \$17.4375. The exercise price and totals have been
- (3) adjusted pursuant to an anti-dilution provisions triggered by an extraordinary cash dividends paid on March 31, 2004 and October 31, 2005.
- This option was previously reported as covering 5,000 shares at an exercise price of \$12.6875. The exercise price and totals have been adjusted pursuant to an anti-dilution provisions triggered by an extraordinary cash dividends paid on March 31, 2004 and October 31, 2005.

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