

HOME DEPOT INC
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * | | 2. Date of Event Requiring Statement | 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol | |
| Â Ross John K | | (Month/Day/Year) | HOME DEPOT INC [HD] | |
| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | 4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | 5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) |
| 2455 PACES FERRY ROAD | | | (Check all applicable) | |
| (Street) | | | <input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other (give title below) (specify below) VP - Advertising | |
| ATLANTA,Â GAÂ 30339 | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | |

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 4) | 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4) | 3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) | 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) |
|--------------------------------------|--|---|--|
| \$.05 Common Stock | 25,815.8874 ⁽¹⁾ | D | Â |
| \$.05 Common Stock Share Equivalents | 451.0098 | I | By 401(k) |

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible 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) | 4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative | 5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: | 6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) |
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| | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | Security | Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) | |
|------------------------------|------------------|-----------------|--------------|----------------------------|----------|---------------------------------------|---|
| Restoration Plan Stock Units | Â (2) | Â (2) | Common Stock | 571,8686 | \$ (2) | D | Â |
| Employee Stock Options | Â (3) | 02/11/2009 | Common Stock | 2,637 | \$ 37.91 | D | Â |
| Employee Stock Options | Â (3) | 02/11/2009 | Common Stock | 63 | \$ 37.91 | D | Â |
| Employee Stock Options | Â (3) | 02/24/2010 | Common Stock | 1,886 | \$ 53 | D | Â |
| Employee Stock Options | Â (3) | 02/24/2010 | Common Stock | 364 | \$ 53 | D | Â |
| Employee Stock Options | Â (3) | 02/21/2011 | Common Stock | 20,400 | \$ 40 | D | Â |
| Employee Stock Options | Â (3) | 04/28/2012 | Common Stock | 15,000 | \$ 46.96 | D | Â |
| Employee Stock Options | Â (3) | 08/21/2012 | Common Stock | 15,000 | \$ 33.86 | D | Â |
| Employee Stock Options | Â (4) | 03/18/2013 | Common Stock | 6,500 | \$ 24.55 | D | Â |
| Employee Stock Options | Â (5) | 03/16/2014 | Common Stock | 6,750 | \$ 36.5 | D | Â |
| Employee Stock Options | Â (6) | 03/22/2015 | Common Stock | 5,650 | \$ 37.7 | D | Â |
| Employee Stock Options | Â (7) | 03/20/2017 | Common Stock | 10,653 | \$ 38.74 | D | Â |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|--------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Ross John K 2455 PACES FERRY ROAD ATLANTA, GA 30339 | Â | Â | Â VP - Advertising | Â |

Signatures

/s/ John K. Ross 10/26/2007

**Signature of
Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

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

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- (1) Includes 1,762,887 shares held under Employee Stock Purchase Plan.
- (2) The restoration plan stock units were acquired under The Home Depot FutureBuilder Restoration Plan and convert to shares of common stock on a one-for-one basis upon a distribution event under the terms of the Plan.
- (3) The options have vested in their entirety and are fully exercisable.
- (4) The stock options were issued under The Home Depot, Inc. 1997 Omnibus Stock Incentive Plan. 3,375 of the options are currently exercisable and 2,625 options become exercisable on 03/19/2008.
- (5) The stock options were issued under The Home Depot, Inc. 1997 Omnibus Stock Incentive Plan. 3,375 of the options are currently exercisable; 1,687 options become exercisable on 03/17/2008 and 1,688 options become exercisable on 03/17/2009.
The stock options were issued under The Home Depot, Inc. 1997 Omnibus Stock Incentive Plan. 1,412 of the options are currently exercisable and 1,413 options become exercisable on 03/23/2008, 1,412 options become exercisable on 03/23/2009 and 1,413 options become exercisable on 03/23/2010.
- (6) The stock options were issued under The Home Depot, Inc. 1997 Omnibus Stock Incentive Plan. 1,412 of the options are currently exercisable and 1,413 options become exercisable on 03/23/2008, 1,412 options become exercisable on 03/23/2009 and 1,413 options become exercisable on 03/23/2010.
- (7) The stock options were issued under The Home Depot, Inc. 2005 Omnibus Stock Incentive Plan and vest in 25% increments beginning on the second anniversary of the grant date.

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