FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1	dress of Reporting	5	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LEE ENTERPRISES, INC [LEE ENT]		5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
<u>MAYER WILLIAM E</u>			, <u></u> ,,	X	Director	10% Owner			
	(Last) (First) C/O LEE ENTERPRISES INC 201 N HARRISON ST., STE 600	-	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/25/2006		Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)			
201 N HARRISON S1., S1E 600		E 600	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line)	vidual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable				
(Street)				X	Form filed by One Re	eporting Person			
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)							

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1130.4)
Common Stock	04/25/2006		Р		1,000	A	\$30.4298	2,000	Ι	By Spouse
Common Stock	04/25/2006		Р		5,000	A	\$30.4298	15,979	D	

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. Transa Code (8)	Instr.	of Expiration		6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/M	ate	Amount of			9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

Explanation of Responses:

Edmund H. Carroll, Lmtd. POA, Attorney-in-Fact

04/26/2006

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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