HOME DEPOT INC

Form 4

September 14, 2005

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

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** TAYLOR THOMAS V			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HOME DEPOT INC [HD]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(Einst)	(Middle)		(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	D'			
2455 PACES FERRY ROAD		ROAD	(Month/Day/Year) 09/12/2005	Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specif below) EVP - Merch. & Marketing			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative Secu	rities Acq	uired, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Ador(A) or Disposed (Instr. 3, 4 and (A) or Amount (D)	d of (D) 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
\$.05 Common Stock	09/12/2005		S	10,000 D	\$ 41.26	315,752.3975	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)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed	.	ate	7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr.	int of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans
				of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)						(Instr
				+, and 3)	Date	Expiration		Amount		
			Code V	(A) (D)	Exercisable	Date	Title	Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

TAYLOR THOMAS V 2455 PACES FERRY ROAD ATLANTA, GA 30339

EVP - Merch. & Marketing

Signatures

/s/ Rita L. Fadell,
Attorney-in-Fact
09/14/2005

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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).

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