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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, response... Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

 ALFIERO SALVATORE

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

FRESH DEL MONTE PRODUCE INC [FDP]

03/31/2008 4. Relationship of Reporting

Person(s) to Issuer

5. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

C/O FRESH DEL MONTE PRODUCE INC, PO BOX

149222

(Street)

10% Owner _X_ Director Officer Other (give title below) (specify below)

(Check all applicable)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting

Person

Form filed by More than One

Reporting Person

CORAL GABLES, FLÂ 33114-9222

(City)

(Instr. 4)

1. Title of Security

(State)

(Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

(Instr. 4)

3. Ownership 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)

(Instr. 5)

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Ordinary Shares 16,000 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 Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security

Expiration Date

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

4. 5. Ownership Conversion or Exercise Form of

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

Price of Derivative Derivative Security:

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
2/16/2005 Grant of Director Options	(1)	02/16/2015	Ordinary Shares	6,250	\$ 32.275	D	Â
2/27/2008 Grant of Director Options	(1)	02/27/2018	Ordinary Shares	6,250	\$ 33.97	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
ALFIERO SALVATORE C/O FRESH DEL MONTE PRODUCE INC PO BOX 149222 CORAL GABLES, FL 33114-9222	ÂX	Â	Â	Â	

Signatures

Bruce Jordan, Attorney-in-fact for Salvatore Alfiero

04/02/2008

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) The option is currently exercisable with respect to all underlying shares.

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Remarks:

Note: Issuer lost its foreign private issuer status as of March 31, 2008, and therefore became su Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

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