FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* VERO RYAN T | | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol OFFICEMAX INC [OMX] | | | | | | | | | Check all a Dir | oplicable) ector | g Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner | | |
|--|---|---|--|---------|---|---|---------|---|--|-----------------|---------------------|--|------------------------------------|----------------------|--|--|---|--|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 263 SHUMAN BLVD. | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/08/2008 | | | | | | | | | | X Officer (give title below) Other (specific below) Executive Vice President | | | | |
| (Street) NAPERVILLE IL 60563 (City) (State) (Zip) | | | | | - 4. II | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | | Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | |
| | | Т | able I - No | n-Deri | ative | Se | curitie | es Acc | quired, | Dis | posed o | f, or | Ben | efici | ally Owi | ned | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transar Date (Month/Da | | | | | | Exe Day/Year) if ar | | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, f any Month/Day/Year) | | Transaction Dis | | Securities Acquired (A) isposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, | | | nd Secu Bend Own | mount of urities eficially ed Following | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership | |
| | | | | | | Code | v | Amount | | (A) or (D) | Price | Tran | orted saction(s) r. 3 and 4) | | (Instr. 4) | | | | |
| Common Stock 02/08/ | | | | | | 2008 | | | A ⁽¹⁾ | | 7,682 | | A | \$ | 0 | 68,995 | D | | |
| Common Stock 02/08 | | | | | 8/2008 | 3/2008 | | | | | 6,882 | | D | \$23 | .73 | 62,113 | D | | |
| | | | Table II - | | | | | | | | sed of, onvertib | | | | y Owne | d | | | |
| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | | 3A. Deen Executio if any (Month/D | n Date, | Date, Transaction | | on of | | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instrand 4) | | str. 3 | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | | Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | | | Code | v | (A) | | Date Exercisa | | Expiration Date | Title | or Nui of | ount nber ares | | | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. Additional restricted stock units were earned because OfficeMax's financial performance exceeded the targeted performance criteria.

Remarks:

Matthew R. Broad, Attorney-

02/11/2008

in-Fact

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- * 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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