FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Hart Myra M.</u>					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol OFFICE DEPOT INC [ODP]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner					
	ΓΗ HARV	ARD STREET	(Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/11/2005 Officer (give title below) Other (specification)											pecify			
ROCK CENTER 114				4.1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
(Street)	IDGE 1	MA	02163												Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)																
		Tab	le I - Nor	n-Deriv	vativ	e Se	curitie	s Ac	quired, I	Disp	osed o	f, or B	ene	ficiall	y Owned	ĺ			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D				Execution Date,		, Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5)			rities Acquired (A) or d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a				es Formially (D) Following (I) (I		m: Direct or Indirect Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
								Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)		Price	Reported Transact (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(Instr. 4)	
Restricted	d Stock ⁽¹⁾			02/1	1/200)5			A		2,100) /	1	\$0	2,	2,100 D			
		-	Table II -						uired, Di , option:						Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemee Execution I if any (Month/Day	Date,	4. Transa Code (8)		n of l		s. Date Exercisat Expiration Date Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	ly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)		Date Exercisable		xpiration ate	Title	OI N	umber					
Option (Right to	\$18.085	02/11/2005			A		4,200)2/11/2006 ⁽²	2) 0	2/11/2012	Commo Stock	n 4	1,200	\$0	4,200		D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Restricted stock vests upon attainment of performance targets based upon earnings per share as determined by the Compensation Committee. Half vests upon attainment of one target, and the remaining half vests upon attainment of a higher target. If targets are not met within three (3) years, the restricted stock expires unvested.
- 2. Each option is exercisable with respect to one-third of the shares on each annual anniversary of the date of the grant.

Remarks:

By: Anne Zuckerman, Attorney-in-Fact for:

02/21/2005

** 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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