FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name an		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol OFFICEMAX INC [OMX]									ck all app Direc	blicable) ctor		Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 150 E. PIERCE ROAD						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/14/2006								- X	belov	,	belo P. and CFO	r (specify w)
(Street) ITASCA (City)	ITASCA IL 60143					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Line)	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable le) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
		Tabl	e I - Non	-Deriva	ative	Sec	uritie	s Acc	quired,	Disp	posed o	f, or E	3ene	ficially	/ Owne	ed		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)					Execution Date			n Date,	Code (Instr. 5)					Securi Benefi	cially I Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
						Code	v	Amount	(A (D) or)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(1130.4)			
Common	/2006		A		29,790	0 A		\$ <mark>0</mark>	67,790		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 Da if any (Month/Day/Y	Date,	ate, Transaction				6. Date E. Expiratio (Month/D	n Date	•	and 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		De Se (Ir	Price of rivative curity str. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisal		Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Share	per				

Explanation of Responses:

/s/ Matthew R. Broad, Attorney-In-Fact

02/16/2006

** 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).
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