

HOME DEPOT INC  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**DERODES ROBERT P**

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
**2455 PACES FERRY ROAD**  
  
(Street)

**ATLANTA, GA 30339**

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**HOME DEPOT INC [HD]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**08/21/2006**

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
**EVP - Chief Info. Officer**

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 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)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
\$.05 Common Stock	03/23/2006		A		4.4275 (1)	A	\$ 0 390,326.8047 D
\$.05 Common Stock	06/22/2006		A		5.2295 (1)	A	\$ 0 390,332.0342 D
\$.05 Common Stock	08/21/2006		F		4,245	D	\$ 34.3 386,704.623 (2) D
\$.05 Common	03/23/2006		A		1.5823 (1)	A	\$ 0 391.1942 I By 401(k)

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Stock Share  
Equivalents  
\$.05  
Common  
Stock Share  
Equivalents

Trust

06/22/2006      A      1.9614<sup>(1)</sup>      A      \$ 0      393.1556      I      By  
401(k)  
Trust

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)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)				
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restoration Plan Stock Units	<u>(3)</u>	03/23/2006		A		9.51	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(3)</u>	<u>(3)</u>	Common Stock	9.51
Restoration Plan Stock Units	<u>(3)</u>	06/22/2006		A		11.4595	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(3)</u>	<u>(3)</u>	Common Stock	11.4595

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director    10% Owner    Officer    Other
DERODES ROBERT P 2455 PACES FERRY ROAD ATLANTA, GA 30339	EVP - Chief Info. Officer

## Signatures

/s/ Rita L. Fadell,  
Attorney-in-Fact

08/23/2006

        \*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* 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).

(1) Acquired pursuant to quarterly dividend.

(2) Includes 617,588 shares acquired pursuant to Employee Stock Purchase Plan on June 30, 2006.

(3) The restoration plan stock units were acquired under The Home Depot FutureBuilder Restoration Plan and convert to shares of common stock on a one-for-one basis upon a distribution event under the terms of the Plan.

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