

SHAHID SAMUEL N JR

Form 4

February 04, 2005

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
SHAHID SAMUEL N JR

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
ABERCROMBIE & FITCH CO
/DE/ [ANF]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

SHAHID & COMPANY, 435
HUDSON STREET, 7TH FLOOR

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
02/02/2005

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

NEW YORK, NY 10014

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
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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 (D) Price			

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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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transaction	5. Number of Derivative	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date	7. Title and Amount Underlying Security
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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)			
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Phantom Stock	\$ 0 ⁽¹⁾	02/02/2005	A ⁽²⁾		2,365		⁽³⁾	⁽³⁾	Class A Common Stock	2,365
Restricted Stock Unit	\$ 0 ⁽¹⁾	02/02/2005	M ⁽⁴⁾			2,365	02/02/2005	02/02/2005	Class A Common Stock	2,365

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SHAHID SAMUEL N JR SHAHID & COMPANY 435 HUDSON STREET, 7TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10014	X			

Signatures

By: Robert J. Tannous,
Attorney-in-Fact

02/04/2005

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- * 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) This award converts to common stock on a 1-for-1 basis.
- (2) Acquired upon vesting of restricted stock unit. Mr. Shahid elected to defer receipt of stock until his retirement from the Board.
- (3) The shares of phantom stock become payable upon the reporting person's termination of service as a director.
- (4) On 2/2/05 restricted stock units granted on 2/2/04 vested. Mr. Shahid has elected to defer receipt of these shares until his retirement from the Board.

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