## FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, I	D.C.	20549
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STATEMENT	<b>OF CHANG</b>	<b>ES IN BENEI</b>	FICIAL OW	NERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>LIPFORD ROCQUE E</u>						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol LA-Z-BOY INC [ LZB ]								Relationship neck all app X Direct	icable)	Reporting Person(s) to Issuer ble) 10% Owner		
(Last) 1284 N.	(Fi TELEGRA	,	Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/23/2005								Officer (give title below)			Other (specify below)	
(Street)	E M	I 4	48162		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						Lin	e) X Form Form	Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable filed by One Reporting Person filed by More than One Reporting				
(City)	(St	ate) (	Zip)			Person								""				
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
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	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																	
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					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisabl		expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$3.3925	08/23/2005			J <sup>(1)</sup>		2,000		08/23/200	5 0	9/23/2005	Common shares	2,000	\$3.3925	2,000		D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. These were granted under the Restricted Share Plan for Non-Employee Directors as Amended and Restated in 2003.

## Remarks:

James P. Klarr, Attorney-infact for Rocque E. Lipford

08/25/2005

\*\* 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).
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