

ANIXTER INTERNATIONAL INC
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FORM 4

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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 *
GRUBBS ROBERT W

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O ANIXTER INTERNATIONAL INC., 2301 PATRIOT BLVD

(Street)

GLENVIEW, IL 60026

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
ANIXTER INTERNATIONAL INC [AXE]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
01/03/2006

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)
President and CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 | (A) or (D) | Price |
| Common Stock | 01/03/2006 | | M | | 4,193 | A | \$ 13.25 |
| Common Stock | 01/03/2006 | | M | | 3,582 | A | \$ 14.91 |
| Common Stock | 01/03/2006 | | S ⁽²⁾ | | 500 | D | \$ 38.73 |
| Common Stock | 01/03/2006 | | S ⁽²⁾ | | 300 | D | \$ 38.74 |
| Common Stock | 01/03/2006 | | S ⁽²⁾ | | 200 | D | \$ 38.76 |

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|--------------|------------|------------------|-------|---|----------|------------------------|---|
| Common Stock | 01/03/2006 | S ⁽²⁾ | 300 | D | \$ 38.78 | 230,688 ⁽¹⁾ | D |
| Common Stock | 01/03/2006 | S ⁽²⁾ | 100 | D | \$ 38.81 | 230,588 ⁽¹⁾ | D |
| Common Stock | 01/03/2006 | S ⁽²⁾ | 100 | D | \$ 38.82 | 230,488 ⁽¹⁾ | D |
| Common Stock | 01/03/2006 | S ⁽²⁾ | 500 | D | \$ 38.83 | 229,988 ⁽¹⁾ | D |
| Common Stock | 01/03/2006 | S ⁽²⁾ | 300 | D | \$ 38.84 | 229,688 ⁽¹⁾ | D |
| Common Stock | 01/03/2006 | S ⁽²⁾ | 100 | D | \$ 38.88 | 229,588 ⁽¹⁾ | D |
| Common Stock | 01/03/2006 | S ⁽²⁾ | 100 | D | \$ 38.91 | 229,488 ⁽¹⁾ | D |
| Common Stock | 01/03/2006 | S ⁽²⁾ | 775 | D | \$ 38.97 | 228,713 ⁽¹⁾ | D |
| Common Stock | 01/03/2006 | S ⁽²⁾ | 400 | D | \$ 39.03 | 228,313 ⁽¹⁾ | D |
| Common Stock | 01/03/2006 | S ⁽²⁾ | 300 | D | \$ 39.04 | 228,013 ⁽¹⁾ | D |
| Common Stock | 01/03/2006 | S ⁽²⁾ | 500 | D | \$ 39.08 | 227,513 ⁽¹⁾ | D |
| Common Stock | 01/03/2006 | S ⁽²⁾ | 300 | D | \$ 39.09 | 227,213 ⁽¹⁾ | D |
| Common Stock | 01/03/2006 | S ⁽²⁾ | 600 | D | \$ 39.11 | 226,613 ⁽¹⁾ | D |
| Common Stock | 01/03/2006 | S ⁽²⁾ | 1,100 | D | \$ 39.12 | 225,513 ⁽¹⁾ | D |
| Common Stock | 01/03/2006 | S ⁽²⁾ | 400 | D | \$ 39.13 | 225,113 ⁽¹⁾ | D |
| Common Stock | 01/03/2006 | S ⁽²⁾ | 100 | D | \$ 39.14 | 225,013 ⁽¹⁾ | D |
| Common Stock | 01/03/2006 | S ⁽²⁾ | 100 | D | \$ 39.17 | 224,913 ⁽¹⁾ | D |
| Common Stock | 01/03/2006 | S ⁽²⁾ | 200 | D | \$ 39.22 | 224,713 ⁽¹⁾ | D |
| Common Stock | 01/03/2006 | S ⁽²⁾ | 500 | D | \$ 39.26 | 224,213 ⁽¹⁾ | D |
| Common Stock | 12/30/2005 | G V | 275 | D | \$ 0 | 223,938 ⁽¹⁾ | D |

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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) | 8. Amount or Number of Shares |
|---|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Options to purchase common stock | \$ 13.25 | 01/03/2006 | | M | 4,193 | 01/17/1998 01/17/2007 | Common Stock | 4,193 |
| Options to purchase common stock ⁽³⁾ | \$ 14.91 | 01/03/2006 | | M | 3,582 | 02/18/1999 02/18/2008 | Common Stock | 3,582 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|-------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| GRUBBS ROBERT W C/O ANIXTER INTERNATIONAL INC. 2301 PATRIOT BLVD GLENVIEW, IL 60026 | X | | President and CEO | |

Signatures

John A. Dul, by power of attorney
01/04/2006
**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) Total Includes 126,667 common stock units.

(2) The shares covered by this Form 4 have been sold pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1(c) sale plan dated February 9, 2005

(3) This option was previously reported as covering 150,000 shares at an exercise price of \$17.4375. The exercise price and totals have been adjusted pursuant to anti-dilution provisions triggered by an extraordinary cash dividends paid on March 31, 2004 and October 31, 2005.

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