LETHAM DENNIS J

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * LETHAM DENNIS J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

ANIXTER INTERNATIONAL INC

(Check all applicable)

Executive VP-Finance & CFO

[AXE]

(Last) (First) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Director 10% Owner _X__ Officer (give title

Other (specify

C/O ANIXTER INTERNATIONAL INC., 2301 PATRIOT BLVD

(Street)

(State)

(Zip)

(Middle)

04/20/2011

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

below)

GLENVIEW, IL 60026

(City)

| (City) | (State) | 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. Securit or Dispos (Instr. 3, 4 | ed of | ` ′ | 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) | | |
| Common Stock | 04/20/2011 | | M | 11,000 (1) | A | \$ 21 | 229,521 (2) | D | | | |
| Common Stock | 04/20/2011 | | S | 11,000 (1) | D | \$ 72.6065 (3) | 218,521 (2) | D | | | |

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of tiorDerivative Securities) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | * | | 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 |
| Options to purchase common stock | \$ 21 | 04/20/2011 | | M | | 11,000 | 02/21/2003 | 02/21/2012 | Common stock | 11,000 |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

LETHAM DENNIS J C/O ANIXTER INTERNATIONAL INC. 2301 PATRIOT BLVD GLENVIEW, IL 60026

Executive VP-Finance & CFO

Signatures

Michele Nelson, by power of attorney

**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) Transactions covered by this Form 4 are pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1(c) trading plan dated February 16, 2011.

04/21/2011

- (2) Total Includes 35,136 common stock units.
- (3) This is the weighted average for sale prices ranging from \$72.23 to \$73.04. Upon the request of the SEC staff, the issuer or any security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price will be provided.

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