Christianson Wei Sun Form 4 November 15, 2011

## 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)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Christianson Wei Sun

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

**ESTEE LAUDER COMPANIES** INC [EL]

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 11/11/2011

X\_ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

MORGAN STANLEY, TOWER 1, 18 TAIPINGQIAO STREET, XICHENG DISTRICT

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

BEIJING, F4 100032

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Indirect Form: Direct (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

Ownership (Instr. 4)

Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Price (D)

Class A

Stock

Common 11/11/2011  $A^{(1)}$ 2,000

Code V Amount

(1) 2,000

(A)

Α

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 or 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
Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 115.06	11/11/2011		A <u>(1)</u>	2,288	11/11/2012	11/11/2021	Class A Common Stock	2,288
Stock Units (Share Payout)	(2)	11/11/2011		A <u>(1)</u>	725.53	(3)	(3)	Class A Common Stock	725.53

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
Reporting Owner Name / Mariess	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Christianson Wei Sun MORGAN STANLEY, TOWER 1 18 TAIPINGQIAO STREET, XICHENG DISTRICT BEIJING, F4 100032	X				

## **Signatures**

Wei Sun Christianson, by Charles E. Reese, II, Attorney-in-fact

11/15/2011

\*\*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).
- $(1) \quad \hbox{Granted pursuant to the Issuer's Non-Employee Director Share Incentive Plan}.$
- (2) Each stock unit (share payout) is convertible into one share of Class A Common Stock (i.e. 1:1).
- (3) The stock units (share payout) will be paid out the first business day of the calendar year following the last date of the Reporting Person's service as a director of the Company.

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