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### FORM 4

### **OMB APPROVAL**

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

(Instr. 3)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Campbell Colin

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

EXPRESS, INC. [EXPR]

(Check all applicable)

C/O EXPRESS, INC., ONE

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

(Middle)

Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

05/12/2010

below) **EVP** - Sourcing and Production

LIMITED PARKWAY

(First)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

(Street) Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

COLUMBUS, OH 43230

(City) (State) (Zip) 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (I) Following (Instr. 4)

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

(A)

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

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

Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if any

4. 5. Number of **Transaction**Derivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.	(Instr. 8) Acquired or Dispose (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			d of				
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17	05/12/2010		A		40,000		<u>(1)</u>	05/12/2020	Common Stock, par value \$0.01	40,000	

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Campbell Colin C/O EXPRESS, INC. ONE LIMITED PARKWAY

EVP - Sourcing and Production

COLUMBUS, OH 43230

## **Signatures**

/s/ Lacey J. Bundy, Attorney in Fact 05/14/2010

\*\*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) One-quarter of the options vest on the first, second, third and fourth anniversaries of the date of grant.
- (2) The options were granted and no price was paid therefor.

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