KESSLER JOHN W

Form 4

April 07, 2003

SEC Form 4

FORM 4		UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION							OMB APPROVAL		
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		Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  Abercrombie & Fitch Co. ANF					6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
(Last) (First) (Middle) The New Albany Company 220 Market Square, Suite 200		3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (voluntary)		4. Statement for Month/Day/Year April 04, 2003		X Director 10% Owner Officer Other  7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
(Street) New Albany, OH 43054  (City) (State) (Zip)		-		5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)		<ul> <li>Form filed by One Reporting Person</li> <li>Form filed by More than One Reporting Person</li> </ul>					
			red, Disposed of, or Be				1	1	<u> </u>		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transaction (Month/Day)				Code and Voluntary	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed (D) Of (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)  Amount   A/D   Price		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Owner-ship Form: Direct(D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Class A Common					A/D   P:	A					
Stock	04/04/2003			M I	\$21.15	62		D			
Class A Common Stock	04/04/2003			SI	4,000     \$31.71	00 D	3,804	D D			
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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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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of	2. Conver-	3.	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number	6. Date	7. Title and	8. Price	9. Number of	10.	11. Nature of
Derivative	sion or	Transaction				Exercisable(DE) and		of	Derivative	Owner-	Indirect
Security	Exercise	Date	Date, if	Transaction	of Derivative	Expiration	Underlying	-		ship	Beneficial
		Date	-	Code		-	Securities	Security		Form of	
(Instr. 3)		(Month/	any			Date(ED) (Month/Day/Year)			Owned	Deriv-	Ownership
	Deri-	(Month/	(Month/	and	Acquired	(Monul/Day/Tear)	,	(Instr.5)			(Instr.4)
	vative	Day/	`	Voluntary	(A)		and 4)		Following	ative	
	Security	Year)	Day/	(V)	or				Reported	Security:	
			Year)		Disposed				Transactions		
				Code	(D) Of				(Instr.4)	(D)	
				(Instr.8)						or	
				(=======)	(Instr. 3,4					Indirect	
					and 5)					(1)	
										(Instr.4)	
						(DE)   (ED)					
				Code   V							
Stock Option - Right to Buy	\$21.1562	04/04/2003		M I	(D) 4,000	05/19/2002   05/20/2008	Class A Common Stock - 4,000		0	D	

Explanation of Responses:

\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations.

See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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/s/ Robert J. Tannous

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person
Date

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