GRIFFIN ARCHIE M

Form 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **GRIFFIN ARCHIE M**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Issuer

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Symbol

ABERCROMBIE & FITCH CO

(Check all applicable)

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(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X_ Director Officer (give title below)

10% Owner Other (specify

(Month/Day/Year) THE OHIO STATE UNIV ALUMNI 02/02/2005

ASSOC, INC., 2200 OLENTANGY

(Street)

RIVER ROAD

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

COLUMBUS, OH 432101035

(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 Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A)

Code V Amount

Reported Transaction(s)

2,365

(Instr. 3 and 4) Price

Class A

Common 02/02/2005 M 2,365 Α \$0

(D)

D

Stock

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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. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	ransaction Derivative ode Securities		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
Restricted Stock Unit	\$ 0 (1)	02/02/2005		M		2,365	02/02/2005	02/02/2005	Class A Common Stock	2,365

Reporting Owners

Relationships

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director Owner Officer Other

GRIFFIN ARCHIE M THE OHIO STATE UNIV ALUMNI ASSOC, INC. 2200 OLENTANGY RIVER ROAD COLUMBUS, OH 432101035



Signatures

By: Robert J. Tannous, Attorney-in-Fact 02/03/2005

**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) This award converts to common stock on a 1-for-1 basis.

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