

AMERICAN EAGLE OUTFITTERS INC

Reported by GROVER FREDERICK W

FORM 4

(Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership)

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Address 77 HOT METAL STREET

PITTSBURGH, PA 15203

Telephone 4124323300

CIK 0000919012

Symbol AEO

SIC Code 5651 - Family Clothing Stores

Industry Retail (Apparel)

Sector Services

Fiscal Year 01/28





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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *				2	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol							r Tradi	ng S	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
Grover Frederick W					AMERICAN EAGLE OUTFITTERS INC [AEO]							AEO]	Direct	or	_	10% Ov	wner	
(Last)	(First)	(Mi	ddle)	3.	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY)							n (MM	/DD/Y	X Office below)	cer (give title	e below)	Othe	r (specify	
77 HOT METAL STREET														EVP Brand Mktg & AE Direct					
(Street)					4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (MM/DD/YYYY)								ed	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
PITTSBURG	H, PA 1	5203													Y Form f	iled by One	Reporting Pe	rson	
(City)	(State)	(Zip	p)		<u> </u>									X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
		Table	I - Non-	Deriv	ati	ive S	Secur	ities	Ac	quire	ed,	Dispo	sed	of, or B	eneficiall	y Owned			
			2. Tra Date	te De Ex				Code (A)		or Disposed of tr. 3, 4 and 5)		of (D) Follow	5. Amount of Securit Following Reported (Instr. 3 and 4)		ties Beneficially Owned Transaction(s)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
							´ I	Cod	le V	V Am	our	(A) or (D)	Pric	e				Direct (D) Or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock, without par value 3				3/2/20	/2012 M				7348.0000 A		\$ 0		24865.0000		D				
Common Stock, without par value 3.				3/2/20	2012 F		2470.0000 D		\$14.6	9	22395.0000		D						
Tabl	Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																		
1. Title of Derivate Security (Instr. 3)	curity Conversion Date Deemed Co		Code			vative rities iired (A osed of	(D)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date			Seco	itle and Ar urities Und ivative Sec tr. 3 and 4)	erlying urity	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following	Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	Beneficial	
				Code	V	(A)	(D))	Date Exer	cisable		xpiratior ate	Title	e	Amount or Number of Shares		Reported Transaction (s) (Instr. 4)	(I) (Instr. 4)	
Dividend Equivalent Rights	(1)	3/2/2012		M			60.000	00		(1)		(1)	wi	Common Stock, thout par value	60.0000	\$ 0	228.0000	D	
Restricted Stock Unit	(2)	3/2/2012		M			7288.0	0000		(3)	3/	/2/2013	wi	Common Stock, thout par value	7288.0000	\$ 0	7289.0000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- (1) The dividend equivalent rights accrued on previously awarded restricted stock units (RSUs) which vest proportionately with the RSUs to which they relate. Each dividend equivalent right is the economic equivalent of one share of American Eagle Outfitters common stock.
- (2) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of AEO common stock.
- (3) The restricted stock units vest in three equal annual installments beginning on the first anniversary of the date of grant. Vesting of the restricted stock units may be accelerated upon the achievement of various performance criteria.

Reporting Owners

Depositing Over an Name / Address	Relationships							
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Grover Frederick W								
77 HOT METAL STREET			EVP Brand Mktg & AE Direct					
PITTSBURGH, PA 15203								

Signatures

Robert J. Tannous, Attorney-in-Fact	3/6/2012	
at the	Doto	

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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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