CLOROX CO /DE/

FORM 4

(Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership)

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
JOHNSTON GERALD E				CLOROX CO /DE/ [CLX]													
(Last) (First) (Middle)				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY)								Director 10% Owner					
1221 BROADWAY												^{below)} Chairma ı	n & CEO)			
(Street)				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (MM/DD/YYYY)							6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
OAKLAND, CA 946121888												X _ Form filed by One Reporting Person					
(City)	(State)		(Zip)									Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
		Tab	ole I - No	n-Der	ivativ	e Securi	ties A	cqu	ired, D	isp	osed o	f, or E	Seneficially	y Owned			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) Da			Γrans. te	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. Trans. Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 a		A) or Follow (Instr. 3 and 5)		ount of Securities Beneficially Owned ving Reported Transaction(s) 3 and 4)		Ownership Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
						any	Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)						(I) (Instr. 4)	(111811.4)
Common Stock 3/				3/9	0/2005		$\mathbf{G}^{(1)}$	v	105	D	\$0		115016.44			D	
Common Stock 6/3				6/1	10/2005	6/13/2005	I		3465.64	A	\$57.09		18746.01 ⁽²⁾			I	By ERIP
Common Stock 3/5				0/2005		$\mathbf{G}^{(1)}$	v	105	A	\$0		105.00			I	By Trust	
Common Stock												20.00			I	By Immediate Family	
Tab	ole II - De	rivati	ive Secur	ities I	Benefi	cially O	wned ((e.g	z., puts	s, c	alls, wa	arrant	ts, options	, convert	ible secur	rities)	
1. Title of Derivate Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	Trans. Date	Deemed T Execution C	4. Trans. Code (Instr. 8	5. Number of Derivative Securities		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date			7 S I	7. Title and Amou Securities Underly Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		ng Deriva Securi (Instr.	8. Price of Derivative Security	derivative	10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr.	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V (A)	(D)	Date Exercisa	able	Expiration Date	n T	Title Shar		Number of		(s) (Instr. 4)	7/	

Explanation of Responses:

- (1) Transfer holdings to family Trust
- (2) Includes 294.88 shares acquired under Clorox's ERIP since the date of the reporting person's last ownership report.

Reporting Owners

Paparting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
JOHNSTON GERALD E								
1221 BROADWAY			Chairman & CEO					
OAKLAND, CA 946121888								

Signatures

By: By Pamela Fletcher, Attorney-in-Fact for

6/14/2005

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).
- ** 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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June 14, 2005

Securities and Exchange Commission

450 - Fifth Street - N.W.

Washington, DC 20549

Ladies and Gentlemen:

This letter authorizes the following representatives of The Clorox Company,

acting singly, to execute and file with you on my behalf all future Forms 3,

4 and 5 respecting my holdings of equity securities of The Clorox Company:

Laura Stein, Senior Vice President – General Counsel

Pamela Fletcher, Vice President – Secretary & Associate General Counsel

Alexa Sullivan, Senior Counsel

/S/ GERALD E. JOHNSTON

Gerald E. Johnston

Chairman and Chief Executive Officer

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