Raines Julian Paul Form 4 August 28, 2006

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** Raines Julian Paul			2. Issuer Symbol	Name and	l Ticker or Trading	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
					INC [HD]	(Check all applicable)				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of	Earliest T	ransaction					
			(Month/D	ay/Year)		Director	10%			
2455 PACES FERRY ROAD			08/24/20	006		X Officer (give title Other (special below)				
						Division	President - Sou	thern		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check				
		Filed(Month/Day/Year)			Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person					
ATLANTA, GA 30339						Form filed by More than One Reporting				
ĺ						Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-I	Derivative Securities Acq	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	lly Owned		
1.Title of	2. Transaction Da	ate 2A. Dee	emed	3.	4. Securities Acquired	5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature o		
Security	(Month/Day/Yea	r) Execution	on Date, if	Transacti	on(A) or Disposed of	Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect		
(Instr 3)	•	anv		Code	(D)	Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial		

(City)	(State) (2	Table 1 - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securitin(A) or Dis (D) (Instr. 3, 4	posed	of	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
\$.05 Common Stock	08/24/2006		A	10,000 (1)	A	\$0	125,500	D		
\$.05 Common Stock	03/23/2006		A	4.4975 (2)	A	\$ 0	1,269.2652	I	By 401(k) Trust	
\$.05 Common Stock	06/22/2006		A	5.0474 (2)	A	\$ 0	1,274.3126	I	By 401(k) Trust	

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 (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)	Code Securities		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8 I S (
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restoration Plan Stock Units	<u>(3)</u>	03/23/2006		A	2.118 (2)	<u>(3)</u>	(3)	Common Stock	2.118	
Restoration Plan Stock Units	(3)	06/22/2006		A	2.552 (2)	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	2.552	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Raines Julian Paul 2455 PACES FERRY ROAD ATLANTA, GA 30339

Division President - Southern

Signatures

Reporting Person

/s/ Julian Paul
Raines

**Signature of 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) The restricted shares were issued under The Home Depot, Inc. 2005 Omnibus Stock Incentive Plan and vest 50% at year 3 and the remaining 50% at year 5.
- (2) Acquired pursuant to quarterly dividend.

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(3) The restoration plan stock units were acquired under The Home Depot FutureBuilder Restoration Plan and convert to shares of common stock on a one-for-one basis upon a distribution event under the terms of the Plan.

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