**BLUE NILE INC** Form 4

February 01, 2007

# FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* VADON MARK C

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

**AVENUE S. STE 900** 

(Last)

(C:tr.)

(Middle)

BLUE NILE INC [NILE] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

C/O BLUE NILE, INC., 705 FIFTH

(State)

(First)

(Month/Day/Year)

\_X\_\_ Director X\_ Officer (give title below)

\_X\_\_ 10% Owner \_\_Other (specify

01/30/2007

President & CEO

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

(7:-

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

SEATTLE, WA 98104

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative	Secu	rities Acquii	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit ord Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of	Price	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock (1)	01/30/2007		S <u>(1)</u>	16,507 (1)	D	\$ 37.8161 (2)	1,340,347	D	
Common Stock (1)	01/31/2007		S <u>(1)</u>	10,000 (1)	D	\$ 37.2108 (3)	1,330,347	D	

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	onNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amoun	t of	Derivative	Deriv
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						Exercisable	Date		Number		
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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
VADON MARK C							
C/O BLUE NILE, INC.	X	X	President & CEO				
705 FIFTH AVENUE S, STE 900	Λ	Λ	Flesidelli & CEO				
SEATTLE, WA 98104							

# **Signatures**

/s/ Diane M. Irvine, Power of 02/01/2007 Attorney

\*\*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 sale was affected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person.
- Represents the weighted average sale price. The highest price at which shares were sold was \$38.00 and the lowest price at which shares **(2)** were sold was \$37.50.
- Represents the weighted average sale price. The highest price at which shares were sold was \$37.71 and the lowest price at which shares were sold was \$36.86.

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