BLUE NILE INC Form 4 March 08, 2007

## FORM 4

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * CAVENS DARRELL	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BLUE NILE INC [NILE]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an applicable)		
C/O BLUE NILE, INC., 705 FIFTH AVENUE S, STE 900	(Month/Day/Year) 03/06/2007	Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) Senior VP		
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
SEATTLE, WA 98104	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State) (	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acqu	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	03/06/2007		M	2,400	A	\$ 0.25	6,600	D	
Common Stock (1)	03/06/2007		S	2,400 (1)	D	\$ 38.33	4,200	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)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exer Expiration I (Month/Day	Date	7. Title and Underlying (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 0.25	03/06/2007	03/06/2007	M	2,400	(2)	02/25/2012	Common Stock	2,400

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

CAVENS DARRELL C/O BLUE NILE, INC. 705 FIFTH AVENUE S. ST

705 FIFTH AVENUE S, STE 900 Senior VP

SEATTLE, WA 98104

## **Signatures**

/s/ Darrell Cavens 03/08/2007

\*\*Signature of Date
Reporting Person

### **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.
- (2) 25% of the option shares vest one year after September 6, 1999 and one-forty-eighth of the option shares vest in equal monthly installments over the following thirty-six months.
- (3) Not applicable.

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