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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person \* Statement **BUCKLE INC [BKE]**  Peetz John P (Month/Day/Year) 06/02/2006 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 2407 W 24TH STREET (Check all applicable) (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) 10% Owner \_X\_ Director \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Officer \_ Other Person KEARNEY, NEÂ 68845 (give title below) (specify below) Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 2. Amount of Securities 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) D Â Common Stock 410

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4) | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · |                 | 3. Title and Amount of<br>Securities Underlying<br>Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 4) |                        | 4. Conversion or Exercise Price of | 5.<br>Ownership<br>Form of<br>Derivative | 6. Nature of Indirect<br>Beneficial Ownership<br>(Instr. 5) |
|--|---------------------------------------|-----------------|--|------------------------|------------------------------------|--|---|
|  | Date<br>Exercisable                   | Expiration Date | Title  | Amount or<br>Number of | Derivative<br>Security             | Security:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect   |   |

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|                                  |     |                         | Shares |          | (I)<br>(Instr. 5) |   |
|----------------------------------|-----|-------------------------|--------|----------|-------------------|---|
| Stock Option (Right to Purchase) | (1) | 06/02/2016 Common Stock | 300    | \$ 41.87 | D                 | Â |

#### **Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address     | Relationships |           |         |       |  |  |
|------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|
| 1 0                                | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |  |  |
| Peetz John P<br>2407 W 24TH STREET | ÂΧ            | Â         | â       | â     |  |  |
| KEARNEY, NE 68845                  | АЛ            | A         | A       | A     |  |  |

### **Signatures**

Karen B. Rhoads by Power of
Attorney

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) Exercisable in 25% increments on 6/2/2006, 6/2/2007, 6/2/2008 and 6/2/2009.

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