#### ESTEE LAUDER COMPANIES INC

Form 4

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* TRAVIS TRACEY THOMAS

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

**ESTEE LAUDER COMPANIES** INC [EL]

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/04/2013

Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

THE ESTEE LAUDER **COMPANIES INC., 767 FIFTH AVENUE** 

(Month/Day/Year)

EVP & CFO

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Instr. 8)

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NEW YORK, NY 10153

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D)

5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect Securities Beneficially (D) or Indirect Beneficial Owned Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported (A)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or Derivative Expiration (Month/Da Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (I	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 67.3	09/04/2013		A	42,990	<u>(1)</u>	09/04/2023	Class A Common Stock	42,990
Restricted Stock Units (Share Payout)	\$ 0 (2)	09/04/2013		A	10,215	(3)	(3)	Class A Common Stock	10,215

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

TRAVIS TRACEY THOMAS THE ESTEE LAUDER COMPANIES INC. 767 FIFTH AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10153

**EVP & CFO** 

## **Signatures**

Tracey Thomas Travis, by Maureen Sladek, attorney-in-fact

09/06/2013

\*\*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) Stock options granted pursuant to Fiscal 2002 Share Incentive Plan in respect of 14,330 shares exercisable from and after January 1, 2015; 14,330 shares exercisable from and after January 1, 2016; and 14,330 shares exercisable from and after January 1, 2017.
- (2) Not applicable. Restricted Stock Units vest and are paid out in shares of Class A Common Stock on a one-to-one basis on the applicable vesting date.

Assuming continued employment, the Restricted Stock Units granted on September 4, 2013 will vest and be paid out as follows: 5,107 on October 31, 2014; 5,108 on November 2, 2015; and 5,108 on October 31, 2016. Assuming continued employment, the Restricted Stock

(3) Units held by the Reporting Person will vest and be paid out as follows: 10,036 on October 31, 2013; 15,144 on October 31, 2014; 15,145 on November 2, 2015; and 5,108 on October 31, 2016. Upon payout, shares will be withheld to cover minimum statutory tax obligations. Restricted Stock Units are accompanied by dividend equivalent rights that will be payable in cash at the time of payout of the related shares.

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