

Batten Bradley W
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Batten Bradley W

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 105 CORPORATE CENTER
 BOULEVARD
 (Street)

GREENSBORO, NC 27408

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 V F CORP [VFC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 05/05/2005

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
 Vice President and Controller

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Table I - 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| | | | | (A) or (D) | 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)

| 1. Title of Derivative Security | 2. Conversion or Exercise | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any | 4. Transaction Code | 5. Number of Derivative Securities | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------|------------------------------------|--|---|
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| (Instr. 3) | Price of Derivative Security | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | Code | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
|-----------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------|------------|---|------|---|-----|-----|---------------------|--------------------|-----------------|----------------------------------|
| Phantom Stock <u>(1)</u> | <u>(2)</u> | 05/05/2005 | A | 362.3247 <u>(1)</u> | | | | | <u>(3)</u> | <u>(3)</u> | Common Stock | 362.3247 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|-------------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Batten Bradley W 105 CORPORATE CENTER BOULEVARD GREENSBORO, NC 27408 | | | Vice President and Controller | |

Signatures

By: Mark R. Townsend for Bradley W. Batten For: (Pursuant to Signing Authority on File)

05/06/2005

**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) Represents units of ownership as a participant in the VF Common Stock Fund of the Executive Deferred Savings Plans to be settled 100% in cash upon reporting person's retirement or on specified dates thereafter. Account statements report fund transactions and balances as cash amounts, so the number of phantom stock units reported as acquired is based on the 05/05/2005 account value divided by the 05/05/05 market price.
 - (2) Column 2 should have an entry which reads "1 for 1".
 - (3) There is no date that should appear in these columns. These columns are not applicable to this particular filing.
 - (4) Represents units of ownership as a participant in the VF Common Stock Fund of the Executive Deferred Savings Plans to be settled 100% in cash upon reporting person's retirement or on specified dates thereafter. Account statements report fund transactions and balances as cash amounts, so the number of phantom stock units reported as beneficially owned is based on the 5/5/2005 account value divided by the 5/5/2005 market price. Each PSU was acquired at the election of the Officer by deferring \$56.61 (estimated) of fees per PSU.

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