

A.C. Moore Arts & Crafts, Inc.
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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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 *
GORDON LESLIE H

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
**A.C. Moore Arts & Crafts, Inc.
 [ACMR]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
04/26/2005

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
EVP and CFO

**C/O A.C. MOORE ARTS &
 CRAFTS, INC., 500 UNIVERSITY
 COURT**

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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BLACKWOOD, NJ 08012

(City) (State) (Zip)

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. Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	04/26/2005		M	34,000 A \$ 3.94	69,000	D	
Common Stock	04/26/2005		M	6,000 A \$ 8.32	75,000	D	
Common Stock	04/26/2005		S	40,000 D \$ 27.2	35,000	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 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Common Stock	\$ 3.94 ⁽¹⁾	04/26/2005		M	34,000 ₍₁₎	⁽²⁾ 07/19/2010	Common Stock 34,000 ₍₁₎
Common Stock	\$ 8.32 ⁽³⁾	04/26/2005		M	6,000 ₍₃₎	⁽⁴⁾ 07/18/2011	Common Stock 6,000 ₍₃₎

Reporting Owners

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

GORDON LESLIE H
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EVP and CFO

Signatures

Leslie H. Gordon 04/26/2005

__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).

- On June 25, 2002, ACMR's Board of Directors approved a two-for-one stock split to shareholders of record as of the close of business on
- (1) July 15, 2002 (the "Stock Split"). This option was previously reported as covering 17,000 shares at an exercise price of \$7.88 per share, but was adjusted as a result of the Stock Split into an option to purchase 34,000 shares at an exercise price of \$3.94 per share.
 - (2) This option vested in three equal installments on July 19, 2001, July 19, 2002 and July 19, 2003.
 - (3) This option was previously reported as covering 9,000 shares at an exercise price of \$16.64 per share, but was adjusted as a result of the Stock Split into an option to purchase 18,000 shares at an exercise price of \$8.32 per share.
 - (4)

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This option vested in three equal installments on July 18, 2002, July 18, 2003 and July 18, 2004. The filing of this Statement shall not be construed as an admission (a) that the person filing this Statement is, for the purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (as amended), the beneficial owner of any equity securities covered by this Statement, or (b) that this Statement is legally required to be filed by such person.

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