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#### FORM 3

#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting

Person \*

A Siegel Clifford

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

06/13/2012

2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

LIFETIME BRANDS, INC [LCUT]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(give title below) (specify below)

EVP, Global Supply Chain

5. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

C/O LIFETIME BRANDS. INC., 1000 STEWART

**AVENUE** 

(Street)

Director \_X\_\_ Officer

10% Owner Other

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

Form filed by More than One

Reporting Person

GARDEN CITY. NYÂ 11530

(City) (State)

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)

(Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

(Instr. 4)

3. Ownership 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial

Ownership Form: (Instr. 5)

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Direct (D) or Indirect (I)

(Instr. 5)

Common Stock 215,975 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 Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security

**Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

2. Date Exercisable and

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying **Derivative Security** (Instr. 4)

5. 4. Ownership Conversion or Exercise Form of

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

Security:

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Employee Stock Option	(1)	05/01/2016	Common Stock	10,000	\$ 29.96	D	Â
Employee Stock Option	(2)	05/06/2013	Common Stock	8,000	\$ 22.46	D	Â
Employee Stock Option	(3)	11/09/2018	Common Stock	3,000	\$ 4.6	D	Â
Employee Stock Option	(4)	04/02/2019	Common Stock	25,000	\$ 2.19	D	Â
Employee Stock Option	(5)	05/06/2020	Common Stock	15,000	\$ 13.27	D	Â
Employee Stock Option	(6)	06/15/2021	Common Stock	7,500	\$ 10.79	D	Â
Employee Stock Option	(7)	04/30/2022	Common Stock	10,000	\$ 11.64	D	Â

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Siegel Clifford C/O LIFETIME BRANDS, INC. 1000 STEWART AVENUE GARDEN CITY, NY 11530	Â	Â	EVP, Global Supply Chain	Â	

## **Signatures**

Clifford Siegel 06/21/2012

\*\*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) The stock options vest 20 percent per year over five years, commencing one year from 5/2/2006.
- (2) The stock options vest 20 percent per year over five years, commencing one year from 5/7/2007.
- (3) The stock options vest 25 percent per year over four years, commencing one year from 11/10/2008.
- (4) The stock options vest 25 percent per year over four years, commencing one year from 4/3/2009.
- (5) The stock options vest 25 percent per year over four years, commencing one year from 5/7/2010.
- (6) The stock options vest 25 percent per year over four years, commencing one year from 6/16/2011.
- (7) The stock options vest 25 percent per year over four years, commencing one year from 5/1/2012.

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