LIFETIME BRANDS, INC Form S-8 September 12, 2007

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM S-8 REGISTRATION STATEMENT Under THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933

LIFETIME BRANDS, INC.

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

11-2682486 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

> 1000 Stewart Avenue Garden City, New York 11530 (516) 683-6000

(Address, including zip code, of Principal Executive Offices)

LIFETIME BRANDS, INC. 2000 LONG-TERM INCENTIVE PLAN

(Full Title of the Plan or Agreement)

Jeffrey Siegel 1000 Stewart Avenue Garden City, New York 11530 (516) 683-6000

(Name, address, and telephone number, including area code, of agent for service)

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CALCULATION OF REGISTRATION FEE

Title of Securities to be Registered	Number of Shares to be Registered (1)	Proposed Maximum Offering Price per Share (2)	Proposed Maximum Aggregate Offering Price (2)	Amount of Registration Fee (2)(3)
Common Stock, \$.01 par value per share	750,000	\$19.81	\$14,857,500	\$456.13

- (1) Pursuant to Rule 416(c) of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"), the number of shares being registered shall include an indeterminate number of additional shares of common stock or common stock which may become issuable as a result of stock splits, stock dividends, or similar transactions in accordance with anti-dilution provisions of the Lifetime Brands, Inc. 2000 Long-Term Incentive Plan.
- (2) Calculated pursuant to paragraphs (c) and (h) of Rule 457 of the Securities Act, based upon the average of the reported high and low sales prices for the Registrant's common stock as reported on the NASDAQ Global Select Market on September 5, 2007. The foregoing calculation is solely for the purpose of determining the registration fee.
- (3) Calculated pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Securities Act as follows: Proposed maximum aggregate offering price per share multiplied by .0000307.

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INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE

The Registrant is registering an additional 750,000 shares of common stock authorized for issuance under its 2000 Long-Term Incentive Plan (the Plan), which was approved by the Registrant's stockholders on June 8, 2006. The Registrant has previously registered shares of common stock issuable under the Plan pursuant to the Registration Statement on Form S-8 filed on May 19, 2003 (File No. 333-105382). The contents of such Registration Statement on Form S-8 are hereby incorporated by reference.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, the Company certifies that it has reasonable grounds to believe that it meets all of the requirements for filing on Form S-8 and has duly caused this Registration Statement on Form S-8 to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in the City of Garden City, State of New York, on September 12, 2007.

LIFETIME BRANDS, INC.

By: /s/ Jeffrey Siegel

Jeffrey Siegel

Chairman of the Board of Directors, Chief Executive Officer

and President

POWER OF ATTORNEY

Each person whose signature to this Registration Statement appears below hereby appoints Laurence Winoker as his or her attorney-in-fact to sign on his or her behalf individually and in the capacity stated below and to file all supplements, amendments and post-effective amendments to this Registration Statement, and any and all instruments or documents filed as a part of or in connection with this Registration Statement or any amendment or supplement thereto, and any such attorney-in-fact may make such changes and additions to this Registration Statement as such attorney-in-fact may deem necessary or appropriate.

Pursuant to the requirement of the Securities Act of 1933, this Registration Statement has been signed by the following persons in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

Signature	<u>Title</u>	<u>Date</u>
/s/ Jeffrey Siegel Jeffrey Siegel	Chairman of the Board of Directors, Chief Executive Officer and President (Principal Executive Officer)	September 12, 2007
/s/ Ronald Shiftan Ronald Shiftan	Vice Chairman of the Board of Directors, Chief Operating Officer and Director	September 12, 2007
/s/ Laurence Winoker Laurence Winoker	Senior Vice-President-Finance, Treasurer and Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial and Accounting Officer)	September 12, 2007
/s/ Craig Phillips Craig Phillips	Senior Vice-President-Distribution, Secretary and Director	September 12, 2007

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/s/ David Dangoor			
David Dangoor	Director	September 12, 2007	
/s/ Fiona Dias	P:	S	
Fiona Dias	Director	September 12, 2007	
/s/ Michael Jeary	- Director	St 12 2007	
Michael Jeary	Director	September 12, 2007	
/s/ Cherrie Nanninga	Pier sa e	St 12 2007	
Cherrie Nanninga	Director	September 12, 2007	
/s/ William Westerfield	- Director	Soutombou 12, 2007	
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/s/ Sheldon Misher	- Director	Soutombou 12, 2007	
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POWER OF ATTORNEY

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EXHIBITS

Exhibit Description

- 4.1 Second Restated Certificate of Incorporation of Lifetime Brands, Inc. (filed as an Exhibit to the Registrant's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the Year Ended December 31, 2005 and incorporated by reference herein).
- 4.2 By-Laws of Lifetime Brands, Inc. (filed as an Exhibit to Lifetime Hoan Corporation's Registration Statement on Form S-1 (File No. 333-40154) and incorporated by reference herein).
- 4.3 Amended 2000 Long-Term Incentive Plan (filed as an Exhibit to the Registrant's Form 8-K dated June 8, 2006 and incorporated by reference herein).
- 5.1 Opinion of Morgan, Lewis & Bockius LLP.
- 23.1 Consent of Ernst & Young LLP.
- 23.2 Consent of Morgan, Lewis & Bockius LLP (included in Exhibit 5.1).
- 24 Power of Attorney (included on the signature pages of this Amendment No. 1 to the Registration Statement).

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