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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 *
Eck Robert J.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
ANIXTER INTERNATIONAL INC
[AXE]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)
 Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
President & CEO

(Last) (First) (Middle)
C/O ANIXTER INTERNATIONAL INC., 2301 PATRIOT BLVD.

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
03/01/2011

GLENVIEW, IL 60026

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired or Disposed of (A) or (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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common stock	03/01/2011		F	(A) or (D) 5,805 (1)	\$ 70.89	81,343 (2)	D
Common stock units	03/01/2011		A	16,424 (3)	\$ 0	97,767 (4)	D
Common stock	03/01/2011		M	1,385 (5)	\$ 21	99,152 (4)	D
Common stock	03/01/2011		F	815 (6)	\$ 70.89	98,337 (4)	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
Options to purchase common stock	\$ 70.02	03/01/2011		A	39,986 (7)	03/01/2013	03/01/2021	Common stock	39,986

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Eck Robert J. C/O ANIXTER INTERNATIONAL INC. 2301 PATRIOT BLVD. GLENVIEW, IL 60026	X		President & CEO	

Signatures

Michele Nelson, by power of attorney
03/03/2011
**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) Number of shares being withheld by issuer for tax liabilities triggered when previously granted restricted stock units converted to shares of common stock.
- (2) Includes 48,735 common stock units.
- (3) Stock units convert to common stock on a 1-for-1 basis on the date they vest. Units vest in thirds beginning on the second anniversary of the grant date.

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- (4) Includes 65,159 common stock units.
- (5) Transaction pursuant to exercise of an option under a Rule 10b5-1(c) trading plan dated October 13, 2010.
- (6) Number of shares being withheld by issuer for exercise price and tax liabilities triggered when previously granted stock options were exercised.
- (7) Options vest in thirds beginning with the 2nd anniversary of the grant date and expire on the 10th anniversary of the grant date.

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