ROYCE FOCUS TRUST INC

Form 4 April 07, 2006

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

OMB Number:

3235-0287

Expires:

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

765,791

762,391

675,701

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January 31, 2005

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Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue.

See Instruction 1(b).

Common

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04/05/2006

04/06/2006

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

ROYCE CHARLES M Issuer Symbol ROYCE FOCUS TRUST INC (Check all applicable) [FUND] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction _X__ Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title _X_ Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) below) C/O ROYCE & ASSOCIATES. 04/05/2006 President / President - Investment Adviser LLC, 1414 AVENUE OF THE **AMERICAS** (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting NEW YORK, NY 10019 (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 5. Amount of 7. Nature of 4. Securities Acquired (A) Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Direct (D) Ownership Following or Indirect (Instr. 4) Reported (I) (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Family

12,900

3,400

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10.9567

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Investment

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Entity (1)

Entity Family

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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Reporting Owners

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

ROYCE CHARLES M C/O ROYCE & ASSOCIATES, LLC 1414 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS NEW YORK, NY 10019

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President - Investment Adviser

Signatures

Dani Eng,

04/07/2006 Attorney-in-Fact **Signature of Reporting Date Person

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).

Shares held in a family investment entity of which the reporting person is the sole managing member and in which the reporting person

(1) has a substantial pecuniary interest (which may vary from time to time). The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the portion of such 762,391 shares owned by the family investment entity in which he has no pecuniary interest.

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