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

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

 BLEIER EDWARD

(First) (Middle) 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

05/13/2005

BLOCKBUSTER INC [BBI, BBI.B]

4. Relationship of Reporting

(give title below) (specify below)

Person(s) to Issuer

_X__ Director

Officer

5. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

1201 ELM ST.

1. Title of Security

(Instr. 4)

(Last)

(Street)

(Check all applicable)

6. Individual or Joint/Group

Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting

Person

Form filed by More than One

Reporting Person

DALLAS, TXÂ 75270

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

(Instr. 4)

Ownership

(I) (Instr. 5) 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

10% Owner

Other

Form: Direct (D) or Indirect

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

(Instr. 4)

2. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

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

4. Conversion or Exercise Price of

5. Ownership Form of Derivative

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

Expiration Date Exercisable Date

Title

Amount or Number of Shares

Derivative Security: Security Direct (D) or Indirect (I)

(Instr. 5)

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BLEIER EDWARD

1201 ELM ST. Â X Â Â

DALLAS, TXÂ 75270

Signatures

Marilyn R. Post, as attorney-in-fact for Edward
Bleier
05/20/2005

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

No securities are beneficially owned

- * 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).

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