

1992 GRAT REMAINDER TRUST FBO WILLIAM LAUDER  
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**FORM 4**

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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 \*  
 1992 GRAT REMAINDER TRUST  
 FBO WILLIAM LAUDER

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 ESTEE LAUDER COMPANIES  
 INC [EL]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 767 FIFTH AVENUE,  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
 08/27/2012

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_X\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 \_\_\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_X\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 Trust with Insider Trustee

NEW YORK, NY 10153

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 \_\_\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 \_\_\_X\_\_\_ 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 (A) or Disposed of (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)
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price
Class A Common Stock					669,764	D	(1) (2) (3)
Class A Common Stock	08/27/2012		S <sup>(4)</sup>		1,102 <sup>(5)</sup>	D	\$ 60.08 <sup>(5) (6)</sup>
Class A Common Stock					225,176	D	(7)
Class A Common					10,468	I	(8) by children of WPL

Stock

Class A Common Stock	24,360	I <u>(2)</u> <u>(3)</u> <u>(9)</u>	WPL is a trustee of the GML GRAT Remainder Trust
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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)	8. Price or Value of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
						Code	V	(A)	(D)
Class B Common Stock	<u>(10)</u>					<u>(10)</u>	<u>(10)</u>	Class A Common Stock	1,268,304
Class B Common Stock	<u>(10)</u>					<u>(10)</u>	<u>(10)</u>	Class A Common Stock	6,525,600
Class B Common Stock	<u>(10)</u>					<u>(10)</u>	<u>(10)</u>	Class A Common Stock	45,740

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
1992 GRAT REMAINDER TRUST FBO WILLIAM LAUDER		X		Trust with Insider Trustee

