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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 *     |                                             | 2. Date of Event Requiring Statement | 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol                            |                                                      |
| Â Adelman Dean A                              |                                             | (Month/Day/Year)                     | BlueLinx Holdings Inc. [BXC]                                           |                                                      |
| (Last)                                        | (First)                                     | (Middle)                             | 12/13/2005                                                             |                                                      |
| BLUELINX CORPORATION, Â 4300 WILDWOOD PARKWAY |                                             |                                      | 4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer                       | 5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) |
| (Street)                                      | (Check all applicable)                      |                                      |                                                                        |                                                      |
|                                               | <input type="checkbox"/> Director           | <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner   |                                                                        |                                                      |
|                                               | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer | <input type="checkbox"/> Other       | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)             |                                                      |
|                                               | (give title below) (specify below)          |                                      | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person |                                                      |
|                                               | Vice Pres., Human Resources                 |                                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person  |                                                      |
| ATLANTA, Â GA Â 30339                         |                                             |                                      |                                                                        |                                                      |
| (City)                                        | (State)                                     | (Zip)                                |                                                                        |                                                      |

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

|                                    |                                                          |                                                                   |                                                          |
|------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|
| 1. Title of Security<br>(Instr. 4) | 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned<br>(Instr. 4) | 3. Ownership Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 5) | 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership<br>(Instr. 5) |
|------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|

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<br>(Instr. 4) | 2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 4) | 4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security:<br>Direct (D) | 6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership<br>(Instr. 5) |
|                                               | Date Exercisable                                            | Expiration Date                                                                | Title                                                  | Amount or Number of                                     |                                                          |

|                                                        |                  |            | Shares          |        | or Indirect<br>(I)<br>(Instr. 5) |   |   |
|--------------------------------------------------------|------------------|------------|-----------------|--------|----------------------------------|---|---|
| Employee Stock Option<br>(right to buy) <sup>(1)</sup> | Â <sup>(2)</sup> | 11/09/2015 | Common<br>Stock | 20,000 | \$ 10.29                         | D | Â |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                                        | Relationships |           |                               |       |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|-------------------------------|-------|
|                                                                                       | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                       | Other |
| Adelman Dean A<br>BLUELINX CORPORATION,<br>4300 WILDWOOD PARKWAY<br>ATLANTA, GA 30339 | Â             | Â         | Â Vice Pres., Human Resources | Â     |

## Signatures

/s/ Dean A.  
Adelman

12/13/2005

<sup>\*\*</sup>Signature of Reporting Person                      Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* 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).
- (1) These stock options are granted pursuant to the terms of the BlueLinx Holdings Inc. Equity Incentive Plan.  
Seventy percent of the options granted to Mr. Adelman will vest on the first, second and third anniversary of the grant date of November 9, 2005 in the proportion of 34%, 33% and 33%, respectively. The remaining thirty percent of his options will vest in equal amounts on
- (2) December 31 following the first, second, third and fourth anniversary of the date of grant, provided that certain performance targets established by the Company's board or compensation committee are attained.

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