FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Name and Address of Reporting Person RUBIN CARL				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Ulta Salon, Cosmetics & Fragrance, Inc. [ULTA]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) President and CEO					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1000 REMINGTON BLVD., SUITE 120				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/29/2011														
(Street) BOLINGBROOK, IL 60440				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting PersonForm filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City) (State) (Zip)					Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acqui								Lired, 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		ĺ	Code (Instr.	nsaction	(A) or Disposed o		of (D) Beneficia Reported		mount of Securities eficially Owned Following orted Transaction(s)			Form:	Beneficial		
				(Month/Day/Teal)		Cod	e V	7 A	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		0	Direct (D) r Indirect () (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock			12/29/2011				F			19,325 1)	D S	\$ 64.67	69,6	72		I)	
Common Stock			12/30/2011				S ⁽²)	2	24,385	D	\$ 64.6893	45,23	15,287		I)	
Common Stock 12			12/30/2011				S(2)	2	24,385	D S	\$ 65	20,902		I)		
Common Stock 01			01/03/2012				M		3	,000	A :	\$ 22.82	23,9	3,902)	
Reminder:	Report on a s	separate line for eac	h class of securities Table II -		ve Se	curi	ties Acq	Pe co fo fo	erso ntai rm c	ns who ined in display	this fo s a cui	orm are n rrently va	ot rec alid Ol	uired MB co	of informa to respond ntrol numb	d unless the	SEC	1474 (9-02)
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transac Code	tion	5. Nof Of Deri Secu Acq (A) of Disp of (I	vative urities uired or cosed D) cr. 3, 4,	6. Dat Expira	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date o Month/Day/Year)			7. Title of Unde Securities	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities Instr. 3 and 4)			9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Ownersl Form of Derivati Security Direct (I or Indire	Beneficia Ownersh (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exerci	sabl	Expir e Date	ation	Title	o: N o:	umber				
Stock Option (right to	\$ 22.82	01/03/2012		М			3,000	Ú	<u>4)</u>	05/1	0/2020	Comm		3,000	\$ 0	315,725	D	

Reporting Owners

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Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
RUBIN CARL 1000 REMINGTON BLVD. SUITE 120 BOLINGBROOK, IL 60440			President and CEO					

Signatures

/s/ Robert S. Guttman, as attorney-in-fact for Carl S. Rubin	01/03/2012		
**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) Represents the number of shares withheld by the issuer to satisfy applicable tax withholding obligations in connection with the vesting of a restricted stock grant previously reported.
- (2) The transactions reported herein were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on 10/13/2011.
- (3) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. The actual sales prices for these transactions ranged from \$64.22 to \$65.14. The reporting person will provide the issuer, any security holder of the issuer, or the SEC staff, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range.
- (4) The options reported vest and become exercisable in four equal installments commencing on February 1, 2011 and each subsequent anniversary, such that all such options will be fully vested on February 1, 2014.

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