FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* TOMCHIN LAWRENCE					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol REX STORES CORP [RSC]								eck all applic	tionship of Reporting all applicable) Director		on(s) to Issu 10% Ow			
(Last)	(Firs	st) (I	(Middle)					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/27/2005								Other (spe below)		pecify	
(Street)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person					
(City)	(Sta	(State) (Zip)											Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
		Tab	le I - Nor	n-Deri\	/ative	Sec	curiti	es Acq	uired,	Dis	osed of	, or Ben	eficially	/ Owned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		r) E	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			Beneficia Owned F	s Illy ollowing	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
							Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transacti (Instr. 3 a	on(s)			(Instr. 4)			
Common Shares \$.01 par value				06/27/2005					M		45,000) A	\$4.61	45,	547	D			
Common Shares \$.01 par value				06/27/2005		1			M		2,500	A	\$5.11	48,	047	D			
Common Shares \$.01 par value 06/2				7/2005	//2005		S		47,500) D	\$14	54	47	D					
Common Shares \$.01 par value													5,6	5,622		I 1	By wife		
		Т										or Benef le secur		Owned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemo Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transactio Code (Inst 8)		on of		6. Date Exercis Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Ye		е	7. Title and of Securiti Underlying Derivative (Instr. 3 an	es I Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	i ly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Incentive stock option right to buy	\$4.61	06/27/2005			М			21,375	(1)		06/06/2007	Common shares \$.01 par value	21,375	\$4.61	0		D		
Nonqualified stock option right to buy	\$4.61	06/27/2005			М			23,625	(1)		06/06/2007	Common shares \$.01 par value	23,625	\$4.61	0		D		
Nonqualified stock option right to buy	\$5.11	06/27/2005			М			2,500	(2)		06/12/2008	Common Shares \$.01 par	2,500	\$5.11	38,000)	D		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Options granted on 6/6/97 and became exercisable in 20% increments on each of the first five anniversaries of the grant.
- 2. Options granted on 6/12/98 and became exercisable in 20% increments on each of the first five anniversaries of the grant.

Edward M.Kress Attorney in fact for Lawrence Tomchin

06/29/2005

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- * 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).

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