TrueBlue, Inc. Form 4 January 07, 2008

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

Common

stock

01/03/2008

1. Name and A	g Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol TrueBlue, Inc. [TBI]			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer					
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)		f Earliest T	-		(Check all applicable)			
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(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check				
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-I	Derivative Securities Acq	quired, Dispo	osed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year	Execution any		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired or(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amoun Securities Beneficial Owned Following	lly	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	

Code V Amount

705

F

(A)

(D)

D

Price

13.095

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

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Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

21,091 (1)

(Instr. 4)

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transact Code (Instr. 8)	orNumber of Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	:		Amou Under Securi (Instr.	lying	Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
DEFEBAUGH JAMES E			EVP,				
1015 A STREET			General				
P.O. BOX 2910			Counsel &				
TACOMA, WA 98402-5113			Sec.				

Signatures

Matthew S. Topham, Attorney-in-fact

01/07/2008

**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) Includes 310 shares acquired pursuant to the TrueBlue, Inc. 1996 Employee Stock Purchase Plan since the filing of the reporting person's most recent Form 4.

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