

FEINSTEIN LEONARD
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
FEINSTEIN LEONARD

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
BED BATH & BEYOND INC [BBBY]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O BED BATH & BEYOND INC., 650 LIBERTY AVENUE

(Street)

UNION, NJ 07083

(City) (State) (Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
12/31/2012

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
Co-Chairman

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/31/2012		M		71,810 A \$ 37.51	1,240,491 (1)	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/31/2012		S		71,810 D \$ 55.3882 (2)	1,168,681 (1)	D
						290,966 (3)	I By Trusts

Common
Stock, par
value
\$0.01 per
share

Common
Stock, par
value
\$0.01 per
share

Common
Stock, par
value
\$0.01 per
share

350,000 ⁽⁴⁾ I By
Charitable
Foundation

341,240 ⁽⁵⁾ I By Spouse

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)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 37.51	12/31/2012		M	71,810	⁽⁶⁾ 04/20/2013	Common Stock 71,810

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
	X		Co-Chairman	

FEINSTEIN LEONARD
C/O BED BATH & BEYOND INC.
650 LIBERTY AVENUE
UNION, NJ 07083

Signatures

/s/ Ori Solomon -
Attorney-in-Fact

01/03/2013

__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) Does not include shares owned by two of Mr. Feinstein's children (who do not share the same home as Mr. Feinstein) and shares owned by trusts for the benefit of three of his children (who do not share the same home as Mr. Feinstein). Mr. Feinstein disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares.

(2) This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$55.01 to \$55.89. The price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price. Detailed information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price will be provided upon request by the Commission staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer.

(3) Represents shares held by trusts for the benefit of Mr. Feinstein and his family members. Mr. Feinstein disclaims beneficial ownership of 145,483 such shares.

(4) Represents shares held by a charitable foundation of which Mr. Feinstein and his family members are trustees and officers. Mr. Feinstein disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares.

(5) Represents shares held by Susan Feinstein, Mr. Feinstein's spouse. Mr. Feinstein disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares.

(6) The stock option was fully exercisable.

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