## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>SEMEL TERRY</u>							2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol POLO RALPH LAUREN CORP [ RL ]										Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     X Director 10% Owner					
	(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O WINDSOR MEDIA 2049 CENTURY PARK EAST							3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/01/2008  4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicab				
(Street) LOS ANGELES CA 90067					-										Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person							
(City)	(S		(Zip)																			
Table I - Non-Deriva  1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)					saction	ear)	2A. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da	med on Date,		ransacti	ion	4. Securi	of, or Be ities Acqui d Of (D) (Ir	red (A) o	5. Amou 4 and Securiti Benefic Owned		nt of es ally following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
									C	ode V	,	Amount (A) or (D)		Prio	e	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)		
Class A Common Stock 04/01/						2008				A		786			\$ <mark>0</mark>	8,	8,820		D			
		Т	able II -										or Ber ble sec			wned						
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	se (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Day	Date,	4. Transa Code (1 8)		n of l		Expira	te Exerc ration Da th/Day/\	ate		d 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative St (Instr. 3 and		D S (I	s. Price of Derivative Security Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	s Blly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerc	cisable		xpiration ate	Title	Amou or Numb of Share	er							
Non- Employee Director Stock Option (right to	\$59.8	04/01/2008			A		2,007		(	(1)	04/	/01/2015	Class A Common Stock	2,00	7	\$0	2,007	,	D			

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. These options vest and become exercisable in three equal annual installments beginning on April 1, 2009.

04/03/2008 Yen D. Chu, Attorney-in-Fact

\*\* 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).
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