

BED BATH & BEYOND INC  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**STARK ARTHUR**

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)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**10/31/2008**

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
**President and CMO**

**UNION, NJ 07083**

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 \_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

**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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/31/2008		S		29,400	D	\$ 25 376,332
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/31/2008		S		17,600	D	\$ 25.01 358,732
	10/31/2008		S		13,900	D	\$ 25.02 344,832

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Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share							
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/31/2008	S	14,000	D	\$ 25.03	330,832	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/31/2008	S	14,715	D	\$ 25.04	316,117	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/31/2008	S	14,151	D	\$ 25.05	301,966	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/31/2008	S	15,758	D	\$ 25.06	286,208	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/31/2008	S	11,544	D	\$ 25.07	274,664	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/31/2008	S	15,870	D	\$ 25.08	258,794	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/31/2008	S	13,650	D	\$ 25.09	245,144	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/31/2008	S	13,818	D	\$ 25.1	231,326	D
	10/31/2008	S	800	D		230,526	D

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Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share					\$	25.1071	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/31/2008	S	12,936	D	\$ 25.11	217,590	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/31/2008	S	16,182	D	\$ 25.12	201,408	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/31/2008	S	12,718	D	\$ 25.13	188,690	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/31/2008	S	13,403	D	\$ 25.14	175,287	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/31/2008	S	10,887	D	\$ 25.15	164,400	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/31/2008	S	6,402	D	\$ 25.16	157,998	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/31/2008	S	10,634	D	\$ 25.17	147,364	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/31/2008	S	7,400	D	\$ 25.18	139,964	D
	10/31/2008	S	7,600	D	\$ 25.19	132,364	D

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Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share							
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/31/2008	S	15,200	D	\$ 25.2	117,164	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/31/2008	S	8,350	D	\$ 25.21	108,814	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/31/2008	S	3,682	D	\$ 25.22	105,132	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/31/2008	S	2,000	D	\$ 25.23	103,132	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/31/2008	S	100	D	\$ 25.24	103,032	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/31/2008	S	3,800	D	\$ 25.25	99,232	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/31/2008	S	400	D	\$ 25.27	98,832	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	10/31/2008	S	100	D	\$ 25.28	98,732	D

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

Table with columns: 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), 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5), 9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Beneficially (Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Table with columns: Reporting Owner Name / Address, Relationships (Director, 10% Owner, Officer, Other). Entry: STARK ARTHUR, C/O BED BATH & BEYOND INC., 650 LIBERTY AVENUE, UNION, NJ 07083, President and CMO.

Signatures

/s/ Ori Solomon - Attorney-in-Fact, 11/04/2008, Signature of Reporting Person, Date

Explanation of Responses:

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