

Ruck Keith Richard  
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**FORM 4**

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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 \*  
 Ruck Keith Richard

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 9000 STATE ROAD  
 (Street)

PHILADELPHIA, PA 19136

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 LANNETT CO INC [LCI]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 10/29/2009

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 VP - Finance and CFO

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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |  | Code                           | V   | Amount  | (A) or (D)   | Price                             |
| Common Stock                    | 10/29/2009                           |  | A                              |   | 10,000  | A  | \$ 0<br>(1)                       |
| Common Stock                    | 11/11/2009                           |  | A                              |   | 3,100<br>(3)  | A  | \$ 0                              |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                |   | 10,912  | D  | (2)                               |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                |   | 14,012  | D  | (2)                               |

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) | 8. Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Option to Buy                              | \$ 6.94  | 10/29/2009                           |  | A                              | 15,000  | (4) 10/29/2019   | Common Stock  | 15,000                        |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                  | Relationships |           |                      |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|----------------------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer              | Other |
| Ruck Keith Richard<br>9000 STATE ROAD<br>PHILADELPHIA, PA 19136 |               |           | VP - Finance and CFO |       |

## Signatures

Keith R. Ruck 11/18/2009

\_\_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) Represents restricted share award vesting 1/3 equally on October 29, 2010, October 29, 2011 and October 29, 2012.
- (2) Includes a total of 609 shares acquired under the Company's stock purchase plan on April 1, 2009, July 1, 2009 and October 1, 2009.
- (3) Represents stock bonus received on 11/11/2009.
- (4) Exercisable in 1/3 annual increments on 10/29/2010, 10/29/2011, and 10/29/2012.

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