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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** 

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person \* Statement Vera Bradley, Inc. [VRA] Philip Frances P (Month/Day/Year) 05/20/2011

(Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer 2208 PRODUCTION ROAD

(Check all applicable)

\_X\_\_ Director

Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) 10% Owner

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. If Amendment, Date Original

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Other Person (give title below) (specify below) Form filed by More than One

Reporting Person Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

FORT WAYNE, INÂ 46808

(Street)

(City) (State) (Zip)

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

(Instr. 4)

Ownership Form:

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) Direct (D)

or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

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

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

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security		4. Conversion or Exercise		6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	(Instr. 4) Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Philip Frances P

2208 PRODUCTION ROAD Â X Â Â

FORT WAYNE, INÂ 46808

#### **Signatures**

/s/ Jeffrey A. Blade, attorney-in-fact for Frances P. Philip

05/27/2011

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

### **Explanation of Responses:**

No securities are beneficially owned

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).

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