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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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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 * FOX PHILIP C | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ANDERSONS INC [ANDE] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | |
|--|----------|----------|--|--|--|--|
| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction | (Chech an appheacie) | | |
| 480 W DUSSEL DR | | | (Month/Day/Year) 01/14/2005 | Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below) Vice President Corporate Plng | | |
| | (Street) | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check | | |
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| (City) | (State) (Z | ip) Table | I - Non-De | rivative Se | ecuriti | es Acqui | red, Disposed of, | or Beneficiall | y Owned |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------|---|-----------|-------------|--|--|---|
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | Transaction Date 2A. Deemed | | 3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| | | | Code V | Amount | or (D) | Price | (Instr. 3 and 4) | (111311. 1) | |
| COMMON STOCK | 01/14/2005 | | J <u>(1)</u> | 3.077 | A | \$ 24.78 | 3,207.413 | D | |
| COMMON STOCK | 01/24/2005 | | <u>J(1)</u> | 0.013 | A | \$ 26.15 | 3,207.426 | D | |
| COMMON STOCK | 02/04/2005 | | <u>J(1)</u> | 2.582 | A | \$ 29.54 | 3,210.008 | D | |
| COMMON STOCK | 02/18/2005 | | <u>J(1)</u> | 2.542 | A | \$ 30 | 3,212.55 | D | |
| COMMON STOCK | 03/04/2005 | | <u>J(1)</u> | 2.362 | A | \$ 32.29 | 3,214.912 | D | |

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| COMMON STOCK | 03/11/2005 | <u>J(1)</u> | 11.594 | A | \$ 31.74 | 3,226.506 | D |
|-----------------|------------|--------------|--------|---|-------------|-----------|---|
| COMMON STOCK | 03/18/2005 | J <u>(1)</u> | 2.346 | A | \$ 32.51 | 3,228.852 | D |

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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 proof Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title a Underlyi (Instr. 3 |
|--|---|--------------------------------------|---|---|--|--|-----------------|-------------------------------------|
| | | | | | | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title |
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | | | |
| PERFORMANCE SHARE UNIT | \$ 0 (2) | 04/01/2005 | | A | 220 | 12/31/2007(2) | 01/01/2008(2) | COMN |
| STOCK OPTION | \$ 31 | 04/01/2005 | | A | 1,250 | 04/01/2005(3) | 03/31/2010 | COMN STO |
| STOCK OPTION | \$ 8.625 | | | | | 01/01/2001 | 01/01/2006 | COMN STO |
| STOCK OPTION | \$ 10 | | | | | 01/01/2002 | 01/01/2007 | COMN |
| STOCK OPTION | \$ 12.7 | | | | | 01/01/2003 | 01/01/2008 | COMN |

Reporting Owners

\$ 15.967

STOCK OPTION

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Keiationsnips | | | | | | |
|---------------------------------|---------------|-----------|-------------------------------|-------|--|--|--|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| FOX PHILIP C 480 W DUSSEL DR | | | Vice President Corporate Plng | | | | |

Reporting Owners 2 MAUMEE, OH 43537

Signatures

Philip Fox, By: Gary Smith, Limited Power of Attorney

04/05/2005

**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) Acquisition pursuant to Rule 16b-3(c)
 - Stock Performance Unit granted pursuant to The Andersons, Inc. Plan. Units vest 100% in 3 years contingent on cumulative EPS from
- (2) 1/1/2005 to 12/31/2007. Number of underlying shares are determined by the three-year cumulative fully diluted EPS for the performance period.
- (3) OPTION EXERCISABLE 40% IMMEDIATELY; 70% AFTER ONE YEAR; 100% AFTER TWO YEARS

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