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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

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		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>STEVEN MADDEN, LTD.</u> [SHOO]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director X 10% Owner
(Last) (Fi C/O STEVEN MAD 52-16 BARNETT A	DEN, LTD.	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/06/2006	Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)
(Street) LONG ISLAND CITY (City) (St	Y 11104 ate) (Zip)	 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

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 Disposed Of (5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(
Common Stock, par value \$0.0001 per share ("Common Stock")	03/06/2006		М		10,000	Α	\$19.06	10,000	D	
Common Stock	03/06/2006		М		10,000	Α	\$17.42	20,000	D	
Common Stock	03/06/2006		S		20,000	D	\$32.573	0	D	

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

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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. Transa Code (8)		of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$19.06	03/06/2006		М			10,000	05/21/2005	05/21/2014	Common Stock	10,000	\$0	40,000	D	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$17.42	03/06/2006		М			10,000	(1)	05/27/2015	Common Stock	10,000	\$0	30,000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. The option vested in two equal installments at the first and second quarter following the period ended June 30, 2005.

Remarks:

/s/ John L. Madden

03/08/2006

Date

** Signature of Reporting Person

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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