FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* WEXNER LESLIE H					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LIMITED BRANDS INC [LTD]								(Che	Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director X 10% Owner					
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(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O LIMITED BRANDS, INC. THREE LIMITED PARKWAY					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/01/2003									X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chairman and CEO					
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(Street) COLUMBUS	ОН	43	216	4.	If Ameno	Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person X Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(State)	(Zij																	
			Table I - Noi	n-Deriv	ative S			uired,	Disp							1			
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								v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	3 and 4)						
Common Stock		08/01/	8/01/2003			A ⁽²⁾		942		A	\$13.2	7,606,9	7,606,957(1)		I ⁽¹⁾	FN ⁽¹⁾			
			Table II - I (ed of, o nvertible			y Owne	ed					
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 Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		e	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (I and 4)		rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following	ve es ally ng	e Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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1. Name and Address WEXNER LE		Person*				•								,					
(Last) C/O LIMITED BI THREE LIMITEI		C.	(Middle)																
(Street)	ОН		43216																
(City) (State) (Zip)																			
1. Name and Address WEXNER AB		Person*																	
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O LIMITED BRANDS, INC. THREE LIMITED PARKWAY																			
(Street) COLUMBUS	ОН		43216																

Explanation of Responses:

(City)

1. Owned by Abigail S. Wexner ("Mrs. Wexner") directly. Owned by Leslie H. Wexner ("Mr. Wexner") indirectly, through Mrs. Wexner. See Exhibit 99.1 for a table of all shares beneficially owned directly or indirectly by Mr. Wexner and Mrs.

2. Non-employee director fees paid in stock to Mrs. Wexner.

(State)

Leslie H. Wexner

** Signature of Reporting Person

08/05/2003

Date

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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(Zip)

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Exhibit 99.1

Name and Address of Reporting Person:

Leslie H. Wexner c/o Limited Brands, Inc. Three Limited Parkway Columbus, OH 43216

Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol:

Limited Brands, Inc. (LTD)

Date of Earliest Transaction Required to be Reported (Month/Day/Year):

8/1/2003

Title of Security	Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
Common Stock	1,161,568 (5)	I (3)	Held in The Limited, Inc. Savings and Retirement Plan for Leslie H. Wexner's account
Common Stock	400,000	I (4)	Abigail S. Koppel Grantor Trust
Common Stock	3,500,000	I (3)	The Wexner Children's Trust II
Common Stock	0 (6)	I (3)	The Children Trust
Common Stock	2,498,670	I (4)	The Birthday Trust
Common Stock	12,000,000	I (3)	The Abigail Trust
Common Stock	8,000,000	I (3)	Wexner Personal Holdings Corporation
Common Stock	24,389,577 (6)	D/I (2)	(2)
Common Stock	7,606,957	D/I (1)	(1)

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Amount of

Name and Address of Reporting Person:

See notes on next page.

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Limited Brands, Inc. (LTD)

Date of Earliest Transaction Required

to be Reported (Month/Day/Year):

8/1/2003

- Owned by Abigail S. Wexner ("Mrs. Wexner") directly. Owned by Leslie H. Wexner ("Mr. Wexner") indirectly, through Mrs. Wexner. (1)
- (2) Owned by Mr. Wexner directly. Owned by Mrs. Wexner indirectly, through Mr.
- Owned by Mr. Wexner indirectly. Owned by Mrs. Wexner indirectly, through Mr. Wexner.
- Owned by Mrs. Wexner indirectly. Owned by Mr. Wexner indirectly, through Mrs. Wexner.
- (5) Based on account balance as of June 30, 2003. The Savings and Retirement Plan is a "qualified plan" within the meaning of Rule 16b-3.
- (6) Reflects the transfer on May 27, 2003, of 14,984,800 shares from The Children Trust to Mr. Wexner (in a transaction exempt under Rule 16a-13).

Mr. Wexner and Mrs. Wexner disclaim beneficial ownership of all indirectly owned securities reported on this Form in excess of their respective pecuniary interest therein.

Joint Filer Information

Name of Joint Filer: Abigail S. Wexner

Address of Joint Filer: c/o Limited Brands, Inc. Three Limited Parkway

Columbus, OH 43216

Relationship of Joint Filer to Issuer: Director

Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol: Limited Brands, Inc. (LTD)

Date of Earliest Transaction Required to be Reported (Month/Day/Year):

8/1/2003

Designated Filer:

Leslie H. Wexner

SIGNATURE:

Abigail S. Wexner

Abigail S. Wexner

August 5, 2003

Date