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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

WEXNER LESLIE H (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O LIMITED BRANDS, INC. THREE LIMITED PARKWAY					Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LIMITED BRANDS INC [LTD] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/02/2005							(Check X X	X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chairman and CEO						
(City)	OH (State)	43 (Zij	216 o)		4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)					X	vidual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) 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/Ye				Execution Date,				ies Acquired (A) or Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Following R Transaction		Form	nership : Direct (D) direct (I) . 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				
									Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	3 and 4)	(s) (msu.			(msu. 4)
Common Stock 02/02/					/2005				A		667(1))	A	\$18.74	4,756,35	59 ⁽²⁾⁽³⁾		I (2)(3)	_(2)(3)
Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																			
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(Last)	(First)	(Middle)							
C/O LIMITED B	RANDS, INC.								
THREE LIMITE	D PARKWAY								
(Street)									
COLUMBUS	ОН	43216							
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)							
1. Name and Address	s of Reporting Person*								
WEXNER AE	BIGAIL S								
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)							
(Last) C/O LIMITED B	` '	(Middle)							
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Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Non-employee director fees paid in stock to Abigail S. Wexner ("Mrs. Wexner").
- 2. Owned by Mrs. Wexner directly. Owned by Leslie H. Wexner ("Mr. Wexner") indirectly, through Mrs. Wexner.
- $3. \ See \ Exhibit \ 99.1 \ for \ a \ table \ of \ all \ shares \ beneficially \ owned \ directly \ or \ indirectly \ by \ Mr. \ Wexner \ and \ Mrs. \ Wexner.$

Leslie H. Wexner

02/03/2005

** Signature of Reporting Person

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).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a). Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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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):

2/2/2005

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	15,000,000	I (3)	Foxcote One
Common Stock	10,083,878	D/I (2)	(2)
Common Stock	9,327,638	I (3)	H.R.E.I. Trust
Common Stock	5,000,000	I (4)	Foxcote Two
Common Stock	4,756,359	D/I (1)	(1)
Common Stock	4,892,608	I (3)	Wexner Personal Holdings Corporation
Common Stock	3,300,568	I (3)	Trust 600
Common Stock	1,270,784 (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

See Notes on next page.

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

Date of Earliest Transaction Required

to be Reported (Month/Day/Year): 2/2/2005

Notes:

- (1) Owned by Abigail S. Wexner ("Mrs. Wexner") directly. Owned by Leslie H. Wexner ("Mr. Wexner") indirectly, through Mrs. Wexner.
- (2) Owned by Mr. Wexner directly. Owned by Mrs. Wexner indirectly, through Mr. Wexner.
- (3) Owned by Mr. Wexner indirectly. Owned by Mrs. Wexner indirectly, through Mr. Wexner.
- (4) Owned by Mrs. Wexner indirectly. Owned by Mr. Wexner indirectly, through Mrs. Wexner.
- (5) Based on account balance as of January 31, 2005. The Savings and Retirement Plan is a "qualified plan" within the meaning of Rule 16b-3.

Mr. Wexner and Mrs. Wexner disclaim beneficial ownership of all indirectly owned securities reported on this Form in excess of their respective pecuniary interests 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):	2/2/2005
Designated Filer:	Leslie H. Wexner

SIGNATURE:

February 3, 2005 Date