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## FORM 3

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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

CORPORATION, Â 3500

Person \*

Hart Brett J

(Last)

C/O SARA LEE

LACEY ROAD

(First)

(Street)

Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

06/09/2009

2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Sara Lee Corp [SLE]

4. Relationship of Reporting

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director \_X\_\_ Officer

10% Owner Other

(give title below) (specify below) EVP, Gen Counsel, Corp Secrty 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting

5. If Amendment, Date Original

Person

Form filed by More than One

Reporting Person

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial

**DOWNERS** 

GROVE, ILÂ 60515

(City) (State)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security

(Instr. 4)

(Zip)

(Middle)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

(Instr. 4)

3. Ownership Form:

Ownership (Instr. 5)

Direct (D) or Indirect

(I) (Instr. 5)

common stock

106,103 (1)

Â D

common stock

308

Ι By 401(k) plan

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 Ownership

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership

Form of or Exercise (Instr. 5)

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(Instr. 4) Price of Derivative Derivative Security: Date **Expiration Title** Amount or Direct (D) Security Exercisable Date Number of or Indirect Shares (I) (Instr. 5)

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Hart Brett J

C/O SARA LEE CORPORATION 3500 LACEY ROAD

DOWNERS GROVE, ILÂ 60515

### **Signatures**

/s/ Helen N. Kaminski, by power of attorney filed herewith. 06/16/2009

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

# **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* 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).

Consists of restricted stock units (RSUs) that may be settled only for shares of common stock. The RSUs will vest, subject to the reporting person's continued employment with Sara Lee through the vesting date, on the following schedule: 26,892 RSUs will vest on August 31, 2009; 49,565 RSUs will vest on August 31, 2010; and 29,646 RSUs will vest on Augsut 31, 2011. Upon vesting, the RSUs will be converted into shares of common stock on a one-for-one basis.

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