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Employee Stock Option (right to buy)⁽¹⁾

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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					0	r Sec	ion 30(h)	of the	e Investmer	nt Co	mpany Act o	of 1940							
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Nelson Brett						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>NU SKIN ENTERPRISES INC</u> [NUS]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner V Officer (give title V Other (specify					
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O NU SKIN ENTERPRISES, INC. 75 WEST CENTER STREET						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/01/2005								X below) X below) Regional Vice President / Southeast Asia & Pacific					
(Street) PROVO UT 84601						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					
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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																			
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					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisab	le	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Share	er					
Employee Stock Option (right to buy) ⁽¹⁾	\$ 8.2								02/28/2002	2 ⁽²⁾	02/28/2011	Class A Common Stock	1,00	0		1,000		D	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy) ⁽¹⁾	\$6.85								08/31/2002	2 ⁽²⁾	08/31/2011	Class A Common Stock	1,00	0		1,000		D	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy) ⁽¹⁾	\$8.99								03/01/2003	3 ⁽²⁾	03/01/2012	Class A Common Stock	2,00	0		2,000		D	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy) ⁽¹⁾	\$12								09/03/2003	3 ⁽²⁾	09/03/2012	Class A Common Stock	2,00	0		2,000		D	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy) ⁽¹⁾	\$9.04								03/10/2004	4 ⁽²⁾	03/10/2013	Class A Common Stock	3,75	0		3,750)	D	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy) ⁽¹⁾	\$11.5								09/02/2004	4 ⁽²⁾	09/02/2013	Class A Common Stock	3,75	0		3,750)	D	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy) ⁽¹⁾	\$19.15								02/27/2005	5(2)	02/27/2014	Class A Common Stock	5,00	0		5,000)	D	

Class A

Common Stock

09/01/2014

5,000

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09/01/2005⁽²⁾

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)															
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				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$25.38	01/01/2005		А		50,000		01/01/2006 ⁽²⁾	01/01/2015	Class A Common Stock	50,000	(3)	50,000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Acquired prior to Mr. Nelson becoming a Reporting Person.

2. Becomes exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning on the date indicated.

3. Not applicable.

Remarks:

D. Matthew Dorny as Attorneyin-Fact for Brett Nelson

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

 \ast 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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The undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints each of Truman Hunt, Matthew Dorny, Ritch Wood, and Erik Haugen signing singly, the undersigned's true and lawful attorney-in-fact to:

(1) execute for and on behalf of the undersigned, in the undersigned's capacity as (a) an officer and/or director of Nu Skin Enterprises, Inc.(the "Company"); or (b) a beneficial owner of the Company's common stock, Forms 3, 4, and 5 in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and the rules thereunder;

(2) do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such Forms 3, 4, or 5 andtimely file such forms with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority; and

(3) take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to, in the best interest of, or legally required by, the undersigned, it being understood that the documents executed by such attorney-in-fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuantto this Power of Attorney shall be in such form and shall contain such terms andconditions as such attorney-in-fact may approve in such attorney-in-fact's discretion.

The undersigned hereby grants to such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary, or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney-in-fact,or such attorney-in-fact's substitute or substitutes, shall lawful do or cause to be done by virtue of this Power of Attorney and the rights and powers herein granted. The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorney-in - fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, is not assuming, nor is the Company assuming, any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4, and 5 with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transactions in securities issued by the Company, unless earlier revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing attorney-in-fact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of the 17th day of December, 2004.

/s/ Brett Nelson