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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>WEXNER LESLIE H</u>  (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O LIMITED BRANDS, INC. THREE LIMITED PARKWAY  (Street) COLUMBUS OH 43216  (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>LIMITED BRANDS INC [ LTD ]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Chairman and CEO
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/04/2009	
		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 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 Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	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			
Common Stock	05/04/2009		A <sup>(1)</sup>		2,205	A	\$7.94	3,513,395 <sup>(2)(3)</sup>	D <sup>(2)(3)</sup>	

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

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 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)
					(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date					

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person\*  
WEXNER LESLIE H  
 (Last) (First) (Middle)  
 C/O LIMITED BRANDS, INC.  
 THREE LIMITED PARKWAY  
 (Street)  
 COLUMBUS OH 43216  
 (City) (State) (Zip)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person\*  
WEXNER ABIGAIL S  
 (Last) (First) (Middle)  
 C/O LIMITED BRANDS, INC.  
 THREE LIMITED PARKWAY  
 (Street)  
 COLUMBUS OH 43216  
 (City) (State) (Zip)

**Explanation of Responses:**

- Non-employee director fees paid in stock to Abigail S. Wexner ("Mrs. Wexner").
- Owned by Mrs. Wexner directly. Owned by Leslie H. Wexner ("Mr. Wexner") indirectly, through Mrs. Wexner. Mr. Wexner disclaims beneficial ownership of all such indirectly owned securities in excess of his pecuniary interest therein.
- See Exhibit 99.1 for a table of all non-derivative shares of the Issuer beneficially owned directly or indirectly by Mr. Wexner and Mrs. Wexner.

**Remarks:**

Exhibit 99.1: Additional Responses and Joint Filer Information, incorporated herein by reference.

/s/ Leslie H. Wexner

05/06/2009

\*\* 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).

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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): 5/4/2009

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	20,226,531 (6)(7)	D/I (2)	(2)
Common Stock	3,513,395 (8)	D/I (1)	(1)
Common Stock	126,501	I (4)	Whitebarn GRAT
Common Stock	5,000,000 (8)	I (4)	Dogwood Trust
Common Stock	2,202,953 (6)	I (3)	Acorn Trust
Common Stock	5,000,000 (7)	I (3)	Cyprus Trust
Common Stock	4,892,608	I (3)	Wexner Personal Holdings Corporation
Common Stock	5,571,601	I (3)	R.H.R.E.I. Trust
Common Stock	3,834,399	I (3)	Trust 400
Common Stock	3,300,568	I (3)	Trust 600
Common Stock	168,561	I (3)	The Concierge Trust
Common Stock	72,649	I (3)	Issue Trust
Common Stock	1,322,135 (5)	I (3)	Held in Limited Brands, Inc. Savings and Retirement Plan for Leslie H. Wexner's account

See Notes on next page.

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): 5/4/2009

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 April 30, 2009. The Savings and Retirement Plan is a "qualified plan" within the meaning of Rule 16b-3.
- (6) Reflects the transfer on April 13, 2009, of 5,797,047 shares from Acorn Trust to Mr. Wexner (in a transaction exempt under Rule 16a-13).
- (7) Reflect the transfer on April 15, 2009, of 5,000,000 shares from Mr. Wexner to Cyprus Trust (in a transaction exempt under Rule 16a-13).
- (8) Reflect the transfer on April 15, 2009, of 5,000,000 shares from Mrs. Wexner to Dogwood Trust (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 interests therein.

Joint Filer Information

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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): 5/4/2009  
Designated Filer: Leslie H. Wexner

SIGNATURE:

/s/ Abigail S. Wexner  
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Abigail S. Wexner

May 6, 2009  
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Date