COLE THOMAS L
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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
COLE THOMAS L

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O MACY'S, INC., 7 WEST SEVENTH STREET

(Street)

CINCINNATI, OH 45202

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol
Macy's, Inc. [M]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
01/30/2012

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

_____ Director _____ 10% Owner
__X__ Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Chief Administrative Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
_X_ 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/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	01/30/2012		M		40,788.83	A	(1)	69,854.83	D	
Common Stock	01/30/2012		D		40,788.83 (2)	D	$ 34.25 (3)	29,066	D	
Common Stock								282 (4)	I	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 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 Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou Numb Share
Phantom Stock Units	(1)	01/30/2012		M			40,788.83	01/30/2012	01/30/2012	Common Stock	40,78

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
COLE THOMAS L C/O MACY'S, INC. 7 WEST SEVENTH STREET CINCINNATI, OH 45202			Chief Administrative Officer	

Signatures

/s/ Linda J. Balicki, as attorney-in-fact for Thomas L. Cole pursuant to a Power of Attorney	01/31/2012
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

Explanation of Responses:

***** If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) Each phantom stock unit was the equivalent of one share of the Issuer's common stock.

(2) In connection with this transaction, the reporting person also acquired 910.03 stock credits resulting from a dividend reinvestment feature of the stock credit plan. Those shares were settled in cash at the same $34.25 per share price, or $31,168.52.

(3) The price is based on the average closing price, as reported on the New York Stock Exchange, for the 20 business days preceding the payment date.

(4) Reflects the reporting person's interest in Macy's stock under the Issuer's 401(k) plan, derived by dividing the value of the undivided interest of the reporting person in the applicable investment fund as of January 30, 2012 by $34.32, the stock price of such date.

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