

RIVERA EFRAIN
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
RIVERA EFRAIN

(Last) (First) (Middle)

ONE BAUSCH & LOMB PLACE

(Street)

ROCHESTER, NY 14604-

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
BAUSCH & LOMB INC [BOL]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
08/17/2005

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock				(A) or (D) Price	9,882 ⁽¹⁾	D	
Common Stock				(A) or (D) Price	1,557 ⁽²⁾	I	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 of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
						(3)	(3)			
						Code	V	(A)	(D)	
Phantom Stock	\$ 0	08/17/2005		A	92	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	92	\$ 0
Phantom Stock	\$ 0					(3)	(3)	Common Stock	600	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
RIVERA EFRAIN ONE BAUSCH & LOMB PLACE ROCHESTER, NY 14604-			Vice President	

Signatures

Jean F. Geisel, as Power of Attorney
08/19/2005
**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (3) The reported phantom stock units were acquired under the Company's Deferred Compensation Plan and will be settled upon the reporting person's payout election on a 1-for-1 basis.
- (1) Dividend reinvestment shares acquired on July 1, 2005.
- (2) Includes common shares credited to the reporting person's 401(k) Plan on June 30, 2005.

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