FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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*						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol LA-Z-BOY INC LZB								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					ıer	
KISER GERALD L															Directo	r		10% Ow	ner	
(Last)	(F	irst)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/21/2003									below)	(give title	Other (specify below)		pecify			
																President and CEO				
(Street)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
														X	X Form filed by One Reporting Person					
(City) (State) (Zip)															Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
		Tal	ole I - No	n-Deri	vativ	e Se	curit	ties Ac	quired	, Dis	sposed o	f, or Be	enefic	ially	Owned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Da						ar) E	2A. Deemed Execution Date, f any (Month/Day/Year)		Code (	Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4				es ally following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) o	Pric	ce	Reported Transact (Instr. 3 a	ion(s)		-	Instr. 4)	
Common Shares 07/21/2						2003			М		21,645	i A	17.	.5833	130	,418	D			
Common Shares 07/21/2					1/200	2003			F		18,709	D	2	22.1	111,709		D			
Common Shares 07/21/2						2003			М		5,955	A	17.	.5833	117	,664	Г	)		
Common Shares 07/21/2						2003			F		4,737	D	2	22.1	112,	927(1)	Г			
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				(e.g.,	puts,	call	s, wa	arrants	, optio	ns, (	convertil	ole sec	uritie	s)						
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transa Code ( 8)		n of		Expiration	6. Date Exercisi Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea		7. Title and Amo of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)		[	3. Price of Derivative Security Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	Ily D	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Shar	ber						
Right to buy (Stock Option)	17.5833	07/21/2003			M			27,600	07/27/19	999	07/25/2003	Common	27,6	500	\$17.5833	0		D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

 $1. \ Reporting \ Person \ also \ indirectly \ beneficially \ owns \ 8,454 \ shares \ of \ La-Z-Boy \ common \ shares \ through \ the \ Company's \ 401(k) \ plan.$ 

<u>Gerald L. Kiser</u> <u>07/22/2003</u>

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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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