

BED BATH & BEYOND INC  
 Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
**FIORILLI MATTHEW**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O BED BATH & BEYOND  
 INC., 650 LIBERTY AVENUE

(Street)

UNION, NJ 07083

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**BED BATH & BEYOND INC  
 [BBBY]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
**02/12/2008**

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)  
**Senior VP - Stores**

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	02/12/2008		M		160,000	A	\$ 11.8282
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	02/12/2008		S		1,000	D	\$ 30.5
	02/12/2008		S		446	D	\$ 30.51
							289,817
							288,817
							288,371

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Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share							
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	02/12/2008	S	1,400	D	\$ 30.52	286,971	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	02/12/2008	S	900	D	\$ 30.53	286,071	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	02/12/2008	S	1,200	D	\$ 30.54	284,871	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	02/12/2008	S	300	D	\$ 30.55	284,571	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	02/12/2008	S	400	D	\$ 30.56	284,171	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	02/12/2008	S	300	D	\$ 30.57	283,871	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	02/12/2008	S	254	D	\$ 30.58	283,617	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	02/12/2008	S	800	D	\$ 30.59	282,817	D
	02/12/2008	S	1,300	D	\$ 30.61	281,517	D

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Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share							
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	02/12/2008	S	500	D	\$ 30.62	281,017	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	02/12/2008	S	1,800	D	\$ 30.63	279,217	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	02/12/2008	S	800	D	\$ 30.64	278,417	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	02/12/2008	S	1,800	D	\$ 30.65	276,617	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	02/12/2008	S	700	D	\$ 30.66	275,917	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	02/12/2008	S	300	D	\$ 30.67	275,617	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	02/12/2008	S	1,000	D	\$ 30.69	274,617	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	02/12/2008	S	2,500	D	\$ 30.7	272,117	D
	02/12/2008	S	1,200	D	\$ 30.71	270,917	D

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Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share							
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	02/12/2008	S	1,800	D	\$ 30.72	269,117	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	02/12/2008	S	1,200	D	\$ 30.73	267,917	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	02/12/2008	S	1,200	D	\$ 30.74	266,717	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	02/12/2008	S	1,100	D	\$ 30.77	265,617	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	02/12/2008	S	1,200	D	\$ 30.9	264,417	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	02/12/2008	S	1,000	D	\$ 30.91	263,417	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	02/12/2008	S	800	D	\$ 30.92	262,617	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	02/12/2008	S	300	D	\$ 30.93	262,317	D
	02/12/2008	S	1,000	D	\$ 30.94	261,317	D

Common  
Stock, par  
value  
\$0.01 per  
share

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)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 11.8282	02/12/2008		M	160,000	<u>(1)</u>	05/27/2008	Common Stock	160,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
FIORILLI MATTHEW C/O BED BATH & BEYOND INC. 650 LIBERTY AVENUE UNION, NJ 07083			Senior VP - Stores	

## Signatures

/s/ Ori Solomon -  
Attorney-in-Fact

02/13/2008

\_\_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).

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(1) The stock option is fully exercisable.

**Remarks:**

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