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(Print or Type	Responses)												
			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LOWES COMPANIES INC [LOW]]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
(Last)	(First) (Middle)							(Check	all applicable)		
(Mor				B. Date of Earliest Transaction Month/Day/Year) 11/28/2011					Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) EVP Chief Information Officer				
	(Street)			endment, onth/Day/Y		ate Origina	ıl		6. Individual or Joi Applicable Line)	int/Group Filin	g(Check		
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tal	ole I - Noi	n-I	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqu	ired, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	ly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Aonth/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			tio	4. Securiti nor Dispose (Instr. 3, 4	ed of (5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6.7. Nature of IndirectOwnershipIndirectForm:BeneficialDirect (D)Ownership or Indirect(I)(Instr. 4)(Instr. 4)			
~				Code V	V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)				
Common Stock	11/28/2011			S		4,000	D	\$ 23.2996	124,812	D			
Common Stock	11/28/2011			S		2,667	D	\$ 23.2996	0	Ι	by Daughter		
Common Stock	11/28/2011			S		2,090	D	\$ 23.2996	0	Ι	by Son		
Common Stock	11/28/2011			S		33,000	D	\$ 23.2996	0	I	by Spouse		
Common Stock									78,660.86	Ι	By 401k Plan		

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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)	4. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	5. iorNumber of Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or	5	ate	Secur	ınt of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secu Bene Owne Follo Repo
				Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)						Trans (Instr
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships								
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other					
BROWN MICHAEL K 1000 LOWE'S BOULEVARD MOORESVILLE, NC 28117			EVP Chief Information Officer						
Signatures									
By: Sandra Felton For: Michael Brown	K.	11/30)/2011						
<u>**</u> Signature of Reporting Person		Da	ate						

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).

Remarks:

The information provided for the shares held by the 401k Plan in this report are based on a plan statement dated as of October

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