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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,  
 Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section  
 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Â Weiss Michael A (Last) (First) (Middle)  C/O EXPRESS, INC.,Â ONE LIMITED PARKWAY (Street)  COLUMBUS,Â OHÂ 43230 (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 05/12/2010	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol EXPRESS, INC. [EXPR]	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other (give title below) (specify below) President & CEO	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01	2,172,864	D	Â
Common Stock, par value \$0.01	310,410 <sup>(1)</sup>	I	By Weiss Family 2008 Irrevocable Trust Alpha
Common Stock, par value \$0.01	310,410 <sup>(1)</sup>	I	By Weiss Family 2008 Irrevocable Trust Beta
Common Stock, par value \$0.01	465,615 <sup>(1)</sup>	I	By Weiss Descendants 2008 Irrevocable Trust
Common Stock, par value \$0.01	7	I	By wife

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date			
		Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Weiss Michael A C/O EXPRESS, INC. ONE LIMITED PARKWAY COLUMBUS, OH 43230	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	President & CEO

## Signatures

/s/ Lacey J. Bundy, Attorney  
in Fact

05/12/2010

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).

The beneficiaries of the trusts are descendants of the reporting person. The reporting person is neither a beneficiary nor a trustee of the (1) trusts. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities and the inclusion of these shares in this report shall not be deemed an admission of beneficial ownership of the reported shares for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

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### Remarks:

Exhibit List:

Exhibit 24 - Power of Attorney

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