

Rhoades Amy
Form 4
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Rhoades Amy

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
A.C. Moore Arts & Crafts, Inc.
[ACMR]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
A.C. MOORE ARTS & CRAFTS,
INC., 130 A.C. MOORE DRIVE

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
02/20/2009

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
X Officer (give title ____ Other (specify
below) below)
VP & General Counsel

(Street)
BERLIN, NJ 08009

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

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, no par value	02/20/2009		A		3,079 (1)	A \$ 0	8,305 (2) D

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)**

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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. D S (I	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 1.48	02/20/2009		A	8,798	<u>(3)</u>	<u>(3)</u>	Common Stock	8,798

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Rhoades Amy A.C. MOORE ARTS & CRAFTS, INC. 130 A.C. MOORE DRIVE BERLIN, NJ 08009			VP & General Counsel	

Signatures

/s/ Amy
Rhoades

02/23/2009

**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).
- (1) Represents shares of performance accelerated restricted stock ("PARS"). The PARS vest in three equal annual installments or upon the Company's achievement of certain financial performance targets.
- (2) Includes 5,226 PARS, of which 1,500 PARS were granted on June 13, 2007 and 3,726 PARS were granted on March 31, 2008.
- (3) Stock appreciation rights vest in three equal annual installments beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date and expire seven years from the grant date, if not earlier terminated.

Remarks:

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