FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  BERNIKOW ALAN S							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  CASUAL MALE RETAIL GROUP INC [ cmrg ]									tionship of Reportin all applicable) Director Officer (give title		g Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner Other (specif	
(Last) 1633 BR	(Last) (First) (Middle) 1633 BROADWAY					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/21/2004										below)		below)	
(Street)  NEW YC	NEW YORK NY 100196750				4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ine)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
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						Code	v	Amount	(A (C	A) or O)	Price	Tran	saction(s) r. 3 and 4)			(1130.4)			
Common Stock, \$.01 par value 01/						1/2004			J <sup>(1)</sup>		430	A \$6		\$ <del>6</del> .	97	2,105		D	
		Та	ıble II - C								sed of, onvertib				y Owne	d			
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,	Code (Inst				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		str. 3	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		/ D	.0. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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## Explanation of Responses:

1. Shares issued in lieu of certain director's fees for participation in meetings of Board of Directors and certain of its committees.

## Remarks:

The Reporting Person has previously reported grants of options to purchase an aggregate of 30,000 shares of the Issuer's common stock. The Reporting Person has previously reported grant of a warrant to purchase 4,000 shares of the Issuer's common stock, which are currently exercisable.

> Arlene C. Feldman Attorneyin-Fact for Alan S. Bernikow

01/23/2004

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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).
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