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]									heck all a	ship of Reporting policable) rector	ng Pe	10% O	wner	
(Last)	st) (First) (Middle)					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/05/2008										Officer (give title below)		below)	(specify	
(Street) (City) (State) (Zip)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										5. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting				
(City)	(30)			ative	ive Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Benefic										Person					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Trans: Date (Month/L					2A. Deemed Execution D Day/Year) if any (Month/Day/			n Date,	Code	action (Instr.	Disposed	ities Acquired (A) d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4					6. Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Code	v	Amount	(A (C) or))	Price	Trai	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(111301. 4)	
Common Stock, \$.0 par value 12/05						2008		J ⁽¹⁾		833		A	\$ <mark>0</mark> .	6	21,118		D			
Common Stock, \$.01 par value 12/0					/2008			J ⁽¹⁾		862		A	\$0.58		21,980		D			
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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 Da if any (Month/Day/Y	Date,	4. Transa Code (8)				6. Date I Expiration (Month/I	on Date		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Ins and 4)		str. 3	8. Price of Derivativ Security (Instr. 5)		,	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Shar	ber						

Explanation of Responses:

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

Dennis R. Hernreich, Attorneyin-Fact for Alan S. Bernikow

** 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).
- ** 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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