FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT	OF CHANGES	S IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>CHOPER JESSE H</u>					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CASUAL MALE RETAIL GROUP INC									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
					CMRG 1									X	Director			10% C	wner	
(Last)	Last) (First) (Middle)				3. D	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/21/2003										Officer (give title below)		Other (below)		(specify
(Street)				4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
(City)	(St	ate) (2	Zip)													n filed by One Reporting Person n filed by More than One Reporting son				
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D				Execution Date,		Transaction Disp Code (Instr. 5)		Disposed	urities Acquired (A) sed Of (D) (Instr. 3,			4 and Securi Benefi		es ally Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
								Code	v	Amount	(4	A) or D)	Price	Transa		action(s) 3 and 4)			(msu. 4)	
Common Stock, \$.01 par value 05/				05/21	/2003			J ⁽¹⁾		108		A	4.	6	48,384			D		
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 Security 2. 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year)				Date, Transaction Code (Instr.		n of		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 Derival Securit (Instr. §	tive d ty S 5) B C F R	D. Number of derivative Securities Seneficially Dwned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ov Fo Dii or (I)	vnership rm: rect (D) Indirect (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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Explanation of Responses:

1. Shares issued in lieu of certain directors fes for participation in meetings of the Board of Directors and certain of its committees.

<u>Arlene C. Feldman, Attorney-in-Fact for Jesse H. Choper</u>

05/22/2003

** 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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