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

### **FORM 10-Q**

# Quarterly Report Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the Quarterly Period Ended July 29, 2006

Commission File Number 0-15898

### CASUAL MALE RETAIL GROUP, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

04-2623104 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

555 Turnpike Street, Canton, MA (Address of principal executive offices)

02021 (Zip Code)

(781) 828-9300

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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Yes ⊠ No □							
5	the registrant is a large accelerated 2b-2 of the Exchange Act. (Check o	· ·	non-accelerated filer. See definition of "acceler	ated filer and			
	Large accelerated filer $\Box$	Accelerated filer $\boxtimes$	Non-accelerated filer $\ \square$				
Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Act). Yes $\ \square$ No $\boxtimes$							
The number of shares of commo	n stock outstanding as of August 14	4, 2006 was 34,178,737.					

#### PART I. FINANCIAL INFORMATION

#### Item 1. Financial Statements.

## CASUAL MALE RETAIL GROUP, INC. CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

(In thousands, except share data)

	July 29, 2006 (unaudited)	Janu	uary 28, 2006
ASSETS	ì		
Current assets:			
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 7,730	\$	5,568
Accounts receivable	4,266		4,963
Assets held for sale	_		26,629
Inventories	101,031		91,546
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	4,533		3,253
Total current assets	117,560		131,959
Property and equipment, net of accumulated depreciation and amortization	52,505		51,273
Other assets:			
Goodwill	57,228		53,861
Other intangible assets	35,596		35,757
Other assets	8,834		10,981
Total assets	\$ 271,723	\$	283,831
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY			
Current liabilities:			
Current portion of other long-term debt	\$ 2,750	\$	9,063
Current portion of deferred gain on sale-leaseback	1,465		_
Accounts payable	31,787		28,195
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities	20,539		24,037
Notes payable	5,282		37,387
Total current liabilities	61,823		98,682
Long-term liabilities:			
Convertible notes	94,750		94,750
Other long-term debt, net of current portion	_		687
Deferred gain on sale-leaseback, net of current portion	27,110		_
Other long-term liabilities	1,327		555
Total long-term liabilities	123,187		95,992
Stockholders' equity:			
Preferred stock, \$0.01 par value, 1,000,000 shares authorized, none outstanding	_		_
Common stock, \$0.01 par value, 75,000,000 shares authorized, 40,695,732 and 39,635,937 shares issued at July 29,			
2006 and January 28, 2006, respectively	407		396
Additional paid-in capital	161,781		156,177
Accumulated deficit	(39,093)		(43,881)
Treasury stock at cost, 6,521,642 and 5,171,930 shares at July 29, 2006 and January 28, 2006, respectively	(36,504)		(23,362)
Accumulated other comprehensive (gain) loss	122		(173)
Total stockholders' equity	86,713		89,157
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$ 271,723	\$	283,831
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The accompanying notes are an integral part of the consolidated financial statements.

### CASUAL MALE RETAIL GROUP, INC. CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS

(In thousands, except per share data) (Unaudited)

		For the three months ended July 29, 2006 July 30, 2005			For the six m July 29, 2006			
Sales	_	111,802		100,620		214,666		y 30, 2005 197,918
Cost of goods sold, including occupancy		61,179		56,947		119,039		114,006
Gross profit		50,623		43,673		95,627		83,912
Expenses:								
Selling, general and administrative		40,234		36,605		79,593		73,767
Depreciation and amortization	_	3,440		2,997		6,690		5,975
Total expenses		43,674		39,602		86,283		79,742
Operating income		6,949		4,071		9,344		4,170
Other income (expense), net		_		_		1,112		_
Interest expense, net		(1,351)		(2,051)		(2,570)		(4,031)
Income before provision for income taxes		5,598		2,020		7,886		139
Provision for income taxes		2,197				3,098		
Net income	\$	3,401	\$	2,020	\$	4,788	\$	139
Net income – basic	\$	0.10	\$	0.06	\$	0.14	\$	0.00
Net income – diluted	\$	0.09	\$	0.06	\$	0.13	\$	0.00
Weighted average number of common shares outstanding								
- basic		34,719		34,284		34,801		34,259
- diluted		45,999		36,185		37,128		36,011

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# CASUAL MALE RETAIL GROUP, INC. CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

(In thousands) (Unaudited)

		nths Ended
	<u>July 29, 2006</u>	<u>July 30, 2005</u>
Cash flows from operating activities:	¢ 4.700	¢ 120
Net income	\$ 4,788	\$ 139
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:	C C00	E 075
Depreciation and amortization	6,690	5,975
Gain on sale of subsidiary	(1,483)	_
Amortization of deferred gain from sale-leaseback	(733)	
Issuance of common stock to related party	101	313
Issuance of common stock to Board of Directors	54	25
Stock based compensation expense	248	_
Loss on disposal of fixed assets	154	108
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:		
Accounts receivable	2	760
Inventories	(8,883)	(6,626)
Prepaid expenses	(1,302)	2,239
Other assets	1,452	(520)
Accounts payable	3,685	(1,441)
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities	(2,338)	(351)
Net cash provided by operating activities	2,435	621
Cash flows provided by (used for) investing activities:		
Additions to property and equipment	(7,832)	(6,649)
Acquisition of Jared M., net of cash acquired	(2,580)	
Payment of earn-out provision for Rochester acquisition	(1,333)	_
Net proceeds from sale-leaseback of corporate headquarters	55,937	_
Net proceeds from sale of subsidiary, LP Innovations, Inc.	2,570	_
Net cash provided by (used for) investing activities	46,762	(6,649)
Cash flows (used for) provided by financing activities:		
Net (repayments) borrowings under credit facility	(32,105)	8,180
Principal payments on long-term debt	(7,000)	(2,576)
Repurchase of common stock	(13,142)	(_,=,=,=)
Cash proceeds from the issuance of common stock from options and warrants	5,212	388
Net cash (used for) provided by financing activities	(47,035)	5,992
Net change in cash and cash equivalents  Cash and cash equivalents:	2,162	(36)
Beginning of the period	5,568	5,731
End of the period	<u>\$ 7,730</u>	\$ 5,695

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the consolidated financial statements.

### CASUAL MALE RETAIL GROUP, INC. Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements

#### 1. Basis of Presentation

In the opinion of management of Casual Male Retail Group, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Company"), the accompanying unaudited consolidated financial statements contain all adjustments necessary for a fair presentation of the interim financial statements. These financial statements do not include all disclosures associated with annual financial statements and, accordingly, should be read in conjunction with the notes to the Company's audited consolidated financial statements for the fiscal year ended January 28, 2006 (included in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K, which was filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on March 31, 2006).

The information set forth in these statements may be subject to normal year-end adjustments. The information reflects all adjustments that, in the opinion of management, are necessary to present fairly the Company's results of operations, financial position and cash flows for the periods indicated. The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. The Company's business historically has been seasonal in nature, and the results of the interim periods presented are not necessarily indicative of the results to be expected for the full year.

The Company's fiscal year is a 52- or 53- week period ending on the Saturday closest to January 31. Fiscal 2006 is a 53-week period ending on February 3, 2007, with the fourth quarter containing 14 weeks.

#### **Goodwill and Intangibles**

Below is a table showing the changes in the carrying value of the Company's goodwill and intangible assets from January 28, 2006 to July 29, 2006:

(in thousands)	Janua	ry 28, 2006	Additions	Amortization	July 29, 2006
Goodwill	\$	53,861	\$ 3,367(1)	\$ —	\$ 57,228
Trademarks		33,200	_		33,200
Other intangibles		2,557	_	161	2,396

During the first quarter of fiscal 2006, certain earn-out provisions from the Company's Rochester acquisition were met and, accordingly, the Company made a payment of \$1.3 million based on the performance of the Rochester division. In connection with the acquisition of Jared M., during the second quarter of fiscal 2006, the Company recorded goodwill of \$2.0 million. See Note 5.

#### 2. Change in Accounting Principle - Inventory

During the second quarter of fiscal 2006, the Company changed its inventory valuation method. Previously, inventory was principally valued at the lower of cost or market on a first in, first out ("FIFO") basis, under the retail inventory method. Inventory for the Company's catalog and e-commerce businesses were accounted for using the average cost method, which approximated the retail method. Commencing in the second quarter of fiscal 2006, all inventories will be valued at the lower of cost or market, using a weighted-average cost method. The Company believes that the weighted-average cost method is preferable as compared to the retail inventory method because it will provide much greater precision in the costing of sales and inventory, which will enable the Company to better manage its margins, control its promotions and value its inventory. Because the weighted-average cost values inventory based on actual quantities of specific SKUs on hand valued at an average purchase cost for a particular SKU rather than an estimate of an average cost complement for a pool of inventory, the average cost method increases the accuracy of reporting the value of inventory and improves the matching of costs with revenue. Further, it is consistent with the practices of many other retailers. In addition, since implementation of the new inventory system, the Company's operations have been managed based on data provided from the perpetual inventory system. By valuing inventory based on the perpetual records, financial reporting of the Company is aligned with operations. Furthermore,

the perpetual inventory provides SKU level/store level shrink measures to allow for more accurate estimates of shrink reserves for periodic reporting.

The revaluation of inventory using the weighted-average cost method approximated the Company's inventory valuation under the previous FIFO retail method at January 29, 2006, April 29, 2006 and July 29, 2006; accordingly, the impact of the change was not material to the financial statements for the three and six months ended July 29, 2006. Further, the impact of the change is not expected to have a material effect on future periods. Due to system conversions that were completed at the end of fiscal 2005, the Company was able to generate SKU-level cost detail for all locations. Prior to such conversions, the Company could not determine the impact of the change to the weighted-average cost method and therefore could not retroactively apply the change to prior year periods presented.

#### 3. Sale-Leaseback of Corporate Offices

On January 30, 2006, the Company entered into a sale-leaseback transaction with Spirit Finance Corp. ("Spirit"), a third-party real estate trust. Pursuant to the sale-leaseback transaction, the Company sold to Spirit its rights, title and interest in its headquarters and distribution center property for \$56.0 million, net of transaction costs. The property consists of a 755,992 gross square foot building located on approximately 27.3 acres in Canton, MA. The transaction funded and closed on February 1, 2006.

At the closing, the Company entered into a Lease Agreement with a wholly-owned subsidiary of Spirit (the "Lease Agreement") whereby the Company agreed to lease the property back for an annual rent of \$4.6 million, payable monthly and in advance. The initial period of the Lease Agreement is for 20 years and will expire January 31, 2026 unless an option period is exercised. At that time, the Company will have the opportunity to extend the Lease Agreement for six additional successive periods of five years. In addition, on February 1, 2011, the fifth anniversary of the Lease Agreement, and for every fifth anniversary thereafter, the base rent will be subject to a rent increase not to exceed the lesser of 7% or a percentage based on changes in the Consumer Price Index. Upon commencement of the third extension term, on January 26, 2036, the annual base will be revalued based on the fair market value on that date, as determined in accordance with the Lease Agreement.

During the first quarter of fiscal 2006, the Company realized a gain of approximately \$29.3 million on the sale of the property, net of approximately \$1.0 million of transaction costs. The gain was deferred and is being amortized over the initial term of the related lease agreement of 20 years in accordance with SFAS No. 98, *Accounting for Leases*. The annual recognition of the gain of approximately \$1.5 million will partially offset the expected annual rent pursuant to the lease of \$4.6 million. For the second quarter and first six months of fiscal 2006, the Company recognized income of \$366,000 and \$733,000, respectively, related to the amortization of the deferred gain which was included as an offset to selling, general and administrative expenses in the Consolidated Statement of Operations for each period.

The Company used the net proceeds from the sale of approximately \$56.0 million to reduce outstanding borrowings under its Amended Credit Facility (defined below) and to repay in full its term loan.

#### 4. Sale of LP Innovations, Inc. subsidiary

On April 25, 2006, the Company sold its loss prevention subsidiary, LP Innovations, Inc. ("LPI"), to a private equity group for a purchase price of \$5.2 million. The Company received \$3.0 million of the purchase price in cash at the closing and received a note for the remaining purchase price of \$2.2 million. The note requires LPI to make quarterly payments to the Company commencing on the first anniversary of the note. The note bears interest at 6.0% annually. Although the note is unsecured, if the principal and any accrued interest on the note are unpaid at any point during the term of the note, the Company has the right to offset amounts owed under the note against its payable to LPI for services rendered pursuant to the loss prevention contract described below. The Company recognized an initial gain on the sale of LPI in the amount of \$1.5 million which is included in other income for the six months ended July 29, 2006. Due to the uncertainty regarding the collection of the note, the Company has fully reserved the balance of the note on the Consolidated Balance Sheet at July 29, 2006 and is treating the amount as a contingent gain and,

accordingly, will recognize income as the note is repaid to the Company. Such amounts recognized as income will be disclosed in future filings and will be included in "other income" on the Consolidated Statement of Operations.

As part of the sale, the Company entered into a five-year contract with LPI whereby the Company will continue to use LPI for its loss prevention needs. The Company's current fees to LPI will remain in effect for the first three years of the contract with normal CPI index increases after that.

The Company also entered into an agreement with LPI to provide, for a fee, transitional services to LPI for a period of six months from the date of the sale. These transitional services include enabling LPI to maintain its space at the Company's corporate headquarters and utilize the facilities, as well as support from the Company's human resource and information technology staff.

#### 5. Acquisition of Jared M.

On May 2, 2006, the Company purchased from JM Leather, Inc., Jared M., an apparel company specializing in selling custom clothing to professional athletes, almost all of whom are big & tall. The Company sees this acquisition as a future growth opportunity for its Rochester division. Initially, the Company plans to open several Jared M. shops within the Company's existing Rochester Big & Tall stores and then expand the business to catalog and internet. This acquisition fits into the Company's long-term strategy to gain market share in the big & tall market.

Pursuant to the terms of the asset purchase agreement, the Company paid a purchase price of approximately \$2.6 million, plus assumed liabilities. In addition, the Company is subject to pay an earn-out provision of up to an additional \$1.0 million over the next twelve to twenty-four months if the Jared M. business achieves certain earning levels specified in the agreement. The acquisition was accounted for under the purchase method of accounting, with the purchase price being allocated to the assets acquired based on relative fair values. The purchase price of \$2.6 million resulted in the preliminary allocation of goodwill of \$2.0 million. Pro forma results have not been presented as the acquisition was not deemed to be material.

In accordance with the terms of the agreement, the Company also issued to Jared Margolis, the founder of Jared M. and currently an employee of the Company, an option to acquire 100,000 shares of the Company's common stock at an exercise price of \$9.42 per share. The option will vest ratably over four-years with the first one-fourth vesting on May 2, 2007. The fair value of the option based on the Black-Scholes model was \$413,000 and is being expensed over its respective vesting period. See Note 7 – Equity for additional information regarding the Company's accounting and valuation assumptions for stock-based compensation.

#### 6. Debt

#### Credit Agreement with Bank of America Retail Group, Inc.

Effective May 19, 2006, the Company amended its credit facility with Bank of America Retail Group, LLC (formerly known as Fleet Retail Group, Inc.) by executing the Fourth Amendment to the Fourth Amended and Restated Loan and Security Agreement (the "Amendments"). The Amendment amended the credit facility (the "Amended Credit Facility") to allow the Company to repurchase, redeem or acquire its common stock provided that the Company maintains certain excess availability levels, as defined in the Amended Credit Facility.

The Amended Credit Facility continues to principally provide for a total commitment of \$90 million with the ability to issue documentary and standby letters of credits of up to \$20 million. The maturity date of the Amended Credit Facility is October 29, 2007 and is subject to prepayment penalties through October 29, 2006. Borrowings under the Amended Credit Facility bear interest at variable rates based on Bank of America's prime rate or the London Interbank Offering Rate ("LIBOR") and vary depending on the Company's levels of excess availability. The Company's ability to borrow under the Amended Credit Facility is determined using an availability formula based on eligible assets, with increased advance rates based on seasonality.

The Company's obligations under the Amended Credit Facility are secured by a lien on all of its assets. The Amended Credit Facility includes certain covenants and events of default customary for credit facilities of this nature, including change of control provisions and limitations on payment of dividends by the Company. The Company is also subject to a financial covenant requiring minimum levels of EBITDA if a minimum excess availability level of \$12.5 million is not maintained. The Company was in compliance with all debt covenants under the Amended Credit Facility at July 29, 2006.

The Company had \$5.3 million in borrowings under the Amended Credit Facility at July 29, 2006. Outstanding standby letters of credit were \$4.4 million and outstanding documentary letters of credit were \$2.9 million. Average borrowings outstanding under this facility during the first six months of fiscal 2006 were approximately \$2.2 million, resulting in an average unused excess availability of approximately \$69.5 million. Unused excess availability at July 29, 2006 was \$64.9 million.

The fair value of amounts outstanding under the Amended Credit Facility approximates the carrying value at July 29, 2006. At the Company's option, any portion of the outstanding borrowings can be converted to LIBOR-based contracts; the remainder bears interest based on prime. At July 29, 2006, the prime-based interest rate was 8.25%. The Company had no outstanding LIBOR contracts.

#### 5% Convertible Senior Subordinated Notes due 2024

In fiscal 2003, the Company sold \$100 million principal amount of convertible senior subordinated notes due 2024 (the "Convertible Notes"). The Convertible Notes were sold in a private transaction to qualified institutional buyers (as such term is defined in Rule 144A under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended). The Convertible Notes, which bear interest at a rate of 5% per year, payable semi-annually, are convertible into the Company's common stock, at any time, at a conversion price of \$10.65 per share and constitute general unsecured obligations of the Company, subordinate to all existing and future designated senior indebtedness. At July 29, 2006, \$94.8 million of the Convertible Notes were outstanding.

Each Convertible Note holder has the right to require the Company to redeem the Convertible Notes for cash or delivery of shares of our common stock, at the Company's option, on January 1, 2009, 2014, or 2019. The purchase price payable for each Convertible Note will be equal to 100% of its principal amount plus accrued and unpaid interest and additional interest, if any, to, but excluding, the repurchase date. In addition, on or after January 6, 2007, the Company has the option to redeem the Convertible Notes, for cash or delivery of shares at the option of the Convertible Note holder, in whole or in part, at the redemption price, which is 100% of the principal amount plus accrued and unpaid interest and additional interest, if any, to, but excluding, the redemption date.

#### Other Long-Term Debt

Components of other long-term debt are as follows (in thousands):

	July 29, 2006	January 28, 2006
5% senior subordinated notes due 2007	\$ 2,750	\$ 4,125
Term loan		5,625
Total other long-term debt	2,750	9,750
Less: current portion of long-term debt	(2,750)	(9,063)
Other long-term debt, less current portion	\$ —	\$ 687

#### 5% senior subordinated notes due 2007

The Company has \$2.8 million principal amount of its 5% senior subordinated notes due 2007 outstanding at July 29, 2006. These notes were issued in May 2002 through a private placement with the Kellwood Company. The Company makes quarterly principal payments in the amount of \$687,500. The final quarterly payment is due April 29, 2007. Accrued interest is payable quarterly.

#### Term loan

In connection with the Company's acquisition of Rochester Big & Tall Clothing in October 2004, the Company had entered into a 3-year term loan for \$7.5 million with Bank of America Retail Group, LLC, the proceeds of which were used for the acquisition. The loan required principal payments in the amount of approximately \$1.9 million on each of

the first two anniversaries of the loan with the remaining balance due at maturity. The term loan accrued interest at the prevailing LIBOR rate plus 5% per annum. During the first quarter of fiscal 2006, the Company prepaid in full the remaining balance of \$5.6 million.

#### 7. Equity

#### Earnings Per Share

SFAS No. 128, *Earnings per Share*, requires the computation of basic and diluted earnings per share. Basic earnings per share is computed by dividing net income by the weighted average number of shares of common stock outstanding during the respective period. Diluted earnings per share is determined by giving effect to the exercise of stock options and warrants using the treasury stock method and convertible notes using the "if-converted" method. The "if-converted" method assumes conversion of the convertible notes if the impact of the conversion is more dilutive to earnings after considering the impact of reversing interest expense and increasing the common stock outstanding. The following table provides a reconciliation of the net income and number of shares outstanding for basic and diluted earnings per share:

	For the three	months ended	For the six months ended		
(in thousands)	July 29, 2006	9, 2006 July 30, 2005 July 29, 2006		July 30, 2005	
Net Income					
Net income – Basic	\$ 3,401	\$ 2,020	\$ 4,788	\$ 139	
Add back of interest costs, tax effected, assuming conversion of convertible notes (1)	717	_	_	_	
Net income - Diluted	\$ 4,118	\$ 2,020	\$ 4,788	\$ 139	
Common Stock Outstanding					
Basic weighted average common shares outstanding	34,719	34,284	34,801	34,259	
Add:					
Stock options and warrants	2,383	1,901	2,327	1,752	
Shares issued upon conversion of convertible notes at \$10.65 per share	8,897	_	_	_	
Diluted weighted average common shares outstanding	45,999	36,185	37,128	36,011	

<sup>(1)</sup> Shares issuable upon the conversion of the convertible notes of 8.9 million for the six months ended July 29, 2006 and 9.4 million for the three and six months ended July 30, 2005 were excluded from the calculation of diluted earnings per share because they were anti-dilutive to earnings using the "if-converted" method.

The following potential common stock equivalents were excluded from the computation of diluted earnings per share in each period because the exercise price of such options and warrants was greater than the average market price per share of common stock for the respective periods. Convertible notes for the six months ended July 29, 2006 and for the three and six months ended July 30, 2005 were also excluded as discussed above in note 1 to the table.

	For the three m	onths ended	For the six mo	nths ended
(in thousands, except exercise prices)	July 29, 2006	July 29, 2006 July 30, 2005		July 30, 2005
Options	351	647	351	682
Warrants	_	1,482	_	1,868
Convertible notes at \$10.65 per share	_	9,390	8,897	9,390
Range of exercise prices of such options, warrants and convertible notes	\$10.15 - \$10.30	\$7.11 - \$10.65	\$10.15 - \$10.65	\$6.66 - \$10.65

The above options, warrants and convertible notes which were outstanding and out-of-the-money at July 29, 2006 expire from March 29, 2014 to April 27, 2024.

#### Stock-Based Compensation

At July 29, 2006, the Company had one share-based compensation plan, the 1992 Stock Incentive Plan, as amended most recently on August 7, 2003 (the "1992 Plan"). Under the terms of the 1992 Plan, up to 6,930,000 shares of common stock could have been issued pursuant to "incentive stock options" (as defined in Section 422 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended), options which are not "incentive stock options," conditioned stock awards, unrestricted stock awards and performance share awards.

Subsequent to the end of the quarter, at the Company's 2006 Annual Meeting of Stockholders held on July 31, 2006, the Company's stockholders approved the adoption of the 2006 Incentive Compensation Plan (the "2006 Plan"). As a result of such approval, no further grants will be made under the 1992 Plan. The terms of the 2006 Plan provide for grants of stock options, stock appreciation rights, or SARs, restricted stock, deferred stock, other stock-related awards and performance awards that may be settled in cash, stock or other property.

Under the terms of the 2006 Plan, 2,500,000 shares of common stock are available for the granting of awards; provided, however, that the maximum number of shares available for the granting of awards other than stock options and SARs cannot exceed 1,250,000 shares.

Both the 1992 Plan and the 2006 Plan are administered by the Compensation Committee, all of the members of which are non-employee directors who qualify as independent under the listing standards of the Nasdaq Global Market. The Compensation Committee makes all determinations with respect to amounts and conditions covering awards under both plans. Options are not granted at a price less than fair value on the date of the grant. Options granted to employees and executives typically vest over three years and options granted to non-employee directors vest over two years. Options expire ten years from the date of grant.

#### Effect of Adoption of SFAS 123R, Share-Based Payment

Prior to January 29, 2006, the Company's share-based payments to its employees and directors were accounted for in accordance with Accounting Principles Board Opinion No. 25, "Accounting for Stock Issued to Employees" ("APB 25") and related interpretations. Under this method, no compensation expense was recognized as long as the exercise price equaled or exceeded the market price of the underlying stock on the date of the grant. The Company elected the disclosure-only alternative permitted under SFAS No. 123, "Accounting for Stock-Based Compensation" ("SFAS 123"), as amended by SFAS No. 148, "Accounting for Stock-Based Compensation — Transition and Disclosure" ("SFAS 148"), for fixed stock-based awards to employees.

On January 27, 2006, the Company's Board of Directors approved the accelerated vesting of 965,000 outstanding and unvested options held by directors, officers and employees under our 1992 Plan. As a result of the acceleration, these options to acquire 965,000 shares of the Company's common stock, which otherwise would have vested from time to time over the following three years, became immediately exercisable. This action was taken to eliminate, to the extent permitted, the transition expense that the Company otherwise would incur in connection with the adoption of SFAS No. 123R. Under the accounting guidance of APB Opinion No. 25, the accelerated vesting resulted in a charge for stock-based compensation of approximately \$30,000, which was recognized in the fourth quarter of fiscal 2005.

As of January 29, 2006, the Company adopted SFAS 123R using the modified prospective method, which requires measurement of compensation cost for all stock awards at fair value on date of grant and recognition of compensation over the service period for awards expected to vest. The fair value of stock options is determined using the Black-Scholes valuation model, which is consistent with our valuation techniques previously utilized for options in footnote disclosures required under SFAS 123, as amended by SFAS 148, and requires the input of subjective assumptions. These assumptions include estimating the length of time employees will retain their vested stock options before exercising them (the "expected term"), the estimated volatility of our common stock price over the expected term and the number of options that will ultimately not complete their vesting requirements ("forfeitures"). Changes in these

subjective assumptions can materially affect the estimate of fair value of stock-based compensation and consequently, the related amount recognized as an expense on the consolidated statements of operations. As required under the accounting rules, the Company reviews its valuation assumptions at each grant date and, as a result, is likely to change its valuation assumptions used to value employee stock-based awards granted in future periods. The values derived from using the Black-Scholes model are recognized as expense over the vesting period, net of estimated forfeitures. The estimation of stock awards that will ultimately vest requires significant judgment. Actual results, and future changes in estimates, may differ from the Company's current estimates. Prior periods have not been restated to incorporate the stock-based compensation charge.

The initial compensation expense recognized in the first quarter of fiscal 2006 in connection with the initial adoption of SFAS 123R decreased the Company's income before taxes and net income by \$52,000 and \$31,000, respectively, with no impact to earnings per share. There was no impact on cash flows from operations, investment, or financing in connection with the adoption of SFAS 123R. For the second quarter and six months ended July 29, 2006, the Company recognized total compensation expense of \$196,000 and \$248,000, respectively. The total compensation cost related to nonvested awards not yet recognized is approximately \$2.4 million which will be expensed over a weighted average remaining life of 34.4 months.

#### Valuation Assumptions for Stock Options

For the first six months of fiscal 2006, 670,000 stock options were granted. The fair value of each option was estimated on the date of grant using the Black-Scholes option-pricing model with the following assumptions used for grants for the six months ended July 29, 2006 and July 30, 2005:

	July 29, 2006	July 30, 2005
Expected volatility	45.0%	65.0%
Risk-free interest rate	4.48% - 5.02%	3.97% - 4.14%
Expected life	4.0 - 4.5 yrs.	4.5 yrs.
Dividend rate		

Expected volatilities are based on historical volatilities of the Company's common stock; the expected life represents the weighted average period of time that options granted are expected to be outstanding giving consideration to vesting schedules and historical exercise patterns; and the risk-free rate is based on the U.S. Treasury yield curve in effect at the time of grant for periods corresponding with the expected life of the option.

#### Fair Value Disclosures — Prior to SFAS 123R Adoption

For the first three and six months of fiscal 2005, if compensation costs for the Company's grants for stock-based compensation had been determined consistent with SFAS 123, the Company's net income (loss) and net income (loss) per share would have been as indicated below:

	 three months ended 30, 2005 <sup>(1)</sup>	ei	six months nded 0, 2005 <sup>(1)</sup>
(in thousands, except per share amounts)			
Net income (loss) – as reported	\$ 2,020	\$	139
Net income (loss) – pro forma	\$ 1,857	\$	(188)
Income (loss) per share – diluted as reported	\$ 0.06	\$	0.00
Income (loss) per share – diluted pro-forma	\$ 0.05	\$	(0.01)

The Company accelerated all options outstanding as of January 27, 2005. Accordingly, the only pro forma adjustment for the second quarter and first six months of fiscal 2005 related to options granted since January 27, 2005.

#### Stock Option Activity-1992 Plan

The following table summarizes stock option activity under the 1992 Plan for the six months ended July 29, 2006:

	Number of Shares	Exerci	ed-average se price per Option	Weighted-average Remaining Contractual Term	I	ggregate ntrinsic e (in 000's)
Outstanding at beginning of year	4,241,997	\$	5.80			
Options and shares granted	675,943		9.13			
Options canceled	(22,000)		9.21			
Options exercised	(405,359)		4.94			
Outstanding at end of quarter	4,490,581	\$	6.36	7.7 years	\$	21,473
Vested and expected to vest at end of quarter	4,488,581	\$	6.36	7.7 years	\$	21,457
Options exercisable at end of quarter	3,805,581	\$	5.87	7.3 years	\$	20,068

The weighted-average grant-date fair value of options granted were \$3.80 and \$3.35 per share for the first six months of fiscal 2006 and 2005, respectively. The total intrinsic value of options exercised during the first six months of fiscal 2006 and fiscal 2005 were \$1.5 million and \$372,000, respectively.

#### Options granted outside of the Company's 1992 Plan

Below is a summary of options granted outside of the Company's 1992 Plan. These outstanding options represent options which have been granted to consultants of the Company prior to August 2003 and options granted to its executives in excess of the 1992 Plan's annual maximum grant which was 500,000 as of August 7, 2003.

	Number of Shares	Exerci	ed-average se price per Option	Weighted-average Remaining Contractual Term	Ir	gregate ntrinsic e (in 000's)
Outstanding at beginning of year	1,140,000	\$	3.21			
Options granted	_					
Options canceled	_		_			
Options exercised	(27,186)		3.68			
Outstanding at end of quarter	1,112,814	\$	3.20	5.1 years	\$	8,835
Vested and expected to vest at end of quarter	1,112,814	\$	3.20	5.1 years	\$	8,835
Options exercisable at end of quarter	1,112,814	\$	3.20	5.1 years	\$	8,835

The total intrinsic value of options exercised outside of the Company's 1992 Plan during the first six months of fiscal 2006 was \$163,700. There were no such exercises during the first six months of fiscal 2005.

#### Long-Term Performance Share Bonus Plan

In fiscal 2005, the Company adopted a Long-Term Performance Share Bonus Plan pursuant to which certain key members of senior management are eligible to participate. Pursuant to the plan, if the Company achieves certain operating income targets by the end of fiscal 2007, each participant in the plan will be entitled to receive restricted shares of the Company's common stock, valued at 75% to 120%, depending of the target level achieved, of the participant's cumulative salary during the incentive period of fiscal 2005-2007 (discounted at a rate of 30%, 70% or 90% depending on the participant's respective tier level). The actual number of restricted shares granted, if any, will be such value divided by the closing price of the Company's common stock on the date of grant. Upon grant, the restricted shares will vest ratably over eighteen months. Assuming a fair market closing price of \$10.00 per share on the date of grant and current salary levels, if the Company were to achieve the operating income targets established in the plan, the Company may be required to issue an estimated 700,000 to 1.1 million shares from its 2006 Plan and record total compensation expense ranging from \$7.0 million to \$11.0 million over the service period; however, because the achievement of the targets is not considered probable at this time no compensation expense has been recorded to date.

#### 8. Stock Repurchase Program

On June 6, 2006, the Company's Board of Directors approved a stock repurchase program whereby the Company was authorized to repurchase up to \$30 million of its common stock through open market and privately negotiated transactions pursuant to Rule 10b-18 of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, as amended. The stock repurchase program will expire on June 6, 2007 and may be terminated earlier at any time without prior notice. The funding for the stock repurchases will be from the Company's operating cash flow and/or borrowings under its Amended Credit Facility.

During the second quarter of fiscal 2006, the Company repurchased 1.3 million shares pursuant to this repurchase program for an aggregate cost, including broker commissions, of \$13.1 million, or at an average price of \$9.74 per share. At July 29, 2006, the Company has 6.5 million shares of repurchased stock, which include shares acquired from past stock repurchase programs. The aggregate cost of these shares is \$36.5 million and is reported by the Company as treasury stock and as a reduction in stockholders' equity.

#### 9. Income Taxes

During the fourth quarter of fiscal 2005, the Company determined that it is more likely than not that it will be able to realize the benefits of a portion of its deferred tax assets and a portion of the Company's valuation allowance was reversed at that time. For fiscal 2006, the Company began recording an income tax provision on its pretax earnings at its effective rate of 39.5%. Based on the net operating loss carryforwards available to the Company, management expects that cash payments for taxes will continue to be minimal at this time. As such, the Company utilized these net loss carryforwards toward a portion of its income tax provision for the first six months of fiscal 2006, which resulted in a reduction of its deferred tax assets of approximately \$2 million.

#### 10. Related Parties

#### Jewelcor Management, Inc.

Since October 1999, the Company has had an ongoing consulting agreement with Jewelcor Management, Inc. ("JMI") to assist in developing and implementing a strategic plan for the Company and for other related consulting services as may be agreed upon between JMI and the Company. Seymour Holtzman, who became the Company's Chairman of the Board on April 11, 2000, is the beneficial holder of approximately 15.8% of the outstanding common stock of the Company (principally held by JMI). He is also the president and chief executive officer, and indirectly, with his wife, the primary shareholder of JMI.

The consulting agreement dated April 29, 2003, and most recently amended by a letter agreement dated May 26, 2006, is for a three-year term and automatically renews on each anniversary of the agreement's commencement date for additional one-year periods, unless ninety-days notice by either party is otherwise given. The initial three-year term was from April 29, 2003 until April 28, 2006. On each anniversary of the agreement's commencement date, the term was extended for a one-year period. Accordingly, as of April 26, 2006, the most recent anniversary of the consulting agreement, the term was extended to April 28, 2009. The consulting agreement with JMI includes a significant disincentive for non-performance, which would require JMI to pay to the Company a penalty equal to 150% of any unearned consulting services.

During the first quarter of fiscal 2006, the Company paid JMI a cash bonus, pursuant to the Executive Incentive Plan for fiscal 2005, for services rendered in fiscal 2005 of \$375,000.

During the first quarter of fiscal 2006, the Company's Board of Directors approved (1) the payment to JMI of approximately \$320,000 as reimbursement of legal costs incurred by JMI in connection with JMI's successful defense of a Section 16 claim involving the Company's securities and (2) the payment to JMI of approximately \$50,000 as consideration for the upward adjustment of the exercise price of warrants issued to JMI in connection with the fiscal 2003 private placement of the Company's 12% senior subordinated notes due 2010.

On May 26, 2006, the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors increased JMI's annual consulting fees from \$412,000 to \$527,000. JMI will continue to receive \$24,000 annually as reimbursement of expenses. JMI will also be entitled to receive a cash bonus for fiscal 2006 ranging from 80% to 150% of a bonus base of \$575,000 if the Company achieves a certain range of EBITDA (earnings before interest, taxes and depreciation and amortization) for fiscal 2006.

#### 11. Recent Accounting Pronouncements

In July 2006, the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) issued FASB Interpretation No. 48, Accounting for Uncertainty in Income Taxes—an interpretation of FASB Statement No. 109 ("FIN 48"), which clarifies the accounting for uncertainty in tax positions. This Interpretation requires that the Company recognize in its financial statements the impact of a tax position, if that position is more likely than not of being sustained on audit, based on the technical merits of the position. The provisions of FIN 48 are effective as of the beginning of fiscal 2007, with the cumulative effect of the change in accounting principle recorded as an adjustment to opening retained earnings. The Company is in the process of determining the effect, if any, the adoption of FIN 48 will have on its financial statements.

#### Item 2. Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations.

#### FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

Certain statements contained in this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q constitute "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of the United States Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. In some cases, forward-looking statements can be identified by the use of forward-looking terminology such as "may," "will," "estimate," "intend," "plan," "continue," "believe," "expect" or "anticipate" or the negatives thereof, variations thereon or similar terminology. The forward-looking statements contained in this Quarterly Report are generally located in the material set forth under the heading "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations," but may be found in other locations as well. These forward-looking statements generally relate to plans and objectives for future operations and are based upon management's reasonable estimates of future results or trends. The forward-looking statements in this Quarterly Report should not be regarded as a representation by the Company or any other person that the objectives or plans of the Company will be achieved. Numerous factors could cause the Company's actual results to differ materially from such forward-looking statements. The Company encourages readers to refer to Part I, Item 1A of the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended January 28, 2006, previously filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on March 31, 2006, which identifies certain risks and uncertainties that may have an impact on future earnings and the direction of the Company.

All subsequent written and oral forward-looking statements attributable to the Company or to persons acting on the Company's behalf are expressly qualified in their entirety by the foregoing. These forward-looking statements speak only as of the date of the document in which they are made. The Company disclaims any obligation or undertaking to provide any updates or revisions to any forward-looking statement to reflect any change in its expectations or any change in events, conditions or circumstances in which the forward-looking statement is based.

#### **BUSINESS SUMMARY**

Casual Male Retail Group, Inc. together with its subsidiaries (the "Company") is the largest specialty retailer of big and tall men's apparel with retail operations throughout the United States, Canada and London, England. The Company operates 484 Casual Male XL stores, 12 Casual Male at Sears Canada stores, 24 Rochester Big & Tall stores and a direct to consumer business, which includes a catalog business and two e-commerce sites.

Unless the context indicates otherwise, all references to "we," "ours," "our," "us" and "the Company" refer to Casual Male Retail Group, Inc. and its consolidated subsidiaries. The Company refers to its fiscal years which end on February 3, 2007 and January 28, 2006 as "fiscal 2006" and "fiscal 2005," respectively.

#### SECOND QUARTER SUMMARY

The Company's operating income during its first six months of 2006 has more than doubled from the prior year. Thus far, overall results have exceeded the Company's expectations for fiscal 2006, with strong comparable sales performance for the first six months of fiscal 2006 of 8.1% and continued gross margin improvement. These results are consistent with the Company's strategic initiatives to drive operating margin performance. The Company's strategic objective continues to be in growing its market share of the big & tall men's market and improving its overall profitability. During the second quarter of fiscal 2006, the Company engaged in several strategic transactions:

#### Re-Branding Initiative

During the second quarter of fiscal 2006, the Company completed its initiative of re-branding all of its full-price Casual Male Big & Tall business to "Casual Male XL" as part of its strategy to remove the stigma associated with "big & tall" so as to appeal to a broader group of its target market, a younger demographic and the smaller and taller market segment of the big & tall market. This re-branding included the re-engineering of the look and feel of its Casual Male brand in all communications, including its store fronts and in-store signage, as well as throughout its catalog and website. The Company tested this re-branding during the third quarter of fiscal 2005 in six markets, representing 24 stores, and based on the positive performance of these stores during the fourth quarter of fiscal 2005, the Company continued the roll-out to all stores, its website and catalog.

#### Acquisition of Jared M.

On May 2, 2006, the Company acquired Jared M., an apparel company specializing in selling custom clothing to professional athletes, almost all of whom are big & tall, for a purchase price of approximately \$2.6 million, plus assumed liabilities. There is a potential payment over a two-year period of an additional \$1.0 million, which is subject to an earn-out provision. The Company sees this acquisition as a future growth vehicle for its Rochester division. Utilizing the Company's existing real estate and sourcing capabilities, the Company sees significant growth opportunities from this business. Initially, the Company plans to open several Jared M. shops within the Company's existing Rochester Big & Tall stores and then expand the business to catalog and internet. This acquisition fits into the Company's long-term strategy to gain market share in the big & tall market. See Note 5 of the Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements for a complete description of the acquisition.

#### Stock Repurchase Program

On June 6, 2006, the Company's Board of Directors approved a \$30 million stock repurchase program. The Company believes that a stock repurchase program is a good investment of its available funds and reflects its commitment to shareholders and its confidence in the Company's earnings growth and accelerating cash flow. The stock repurchase program will expire on June 6, 2007 but may be terminated earlier without prior notice. Through the end of the second quarter of fiscal 2006, the Company has repurchased 1.3 million shares of common stock at an aggregate cost, including broker commissions, of \$13.1 million, resulting in an average purchase price of \$9.74 per share.

#### RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

#### Sales

For the second quarter of fiscal 2006, sales, which include the Company's e-commerce and catalog businesses, increased 11.1% to \$111.8 million as compared to \$100.6 million for the second quarter of fiscal 2005. The sales increase was primarily due to an increase of 10.6%, or \$10.4 million, in comparable sales. Comparable sales include stores that have been open for at least one full year, e-commerce and catalog sales. This increase of \$10.4 million was driven by increases among all channels, with the Casual Male retail store operations representing approximately 50% of this increase. The primary reason for this increase is the result of the Company's improved merchandise assortments and overall improved product offerings, which is supported by the Company's overall increase in its items per transaction and dollars per transaction statistics.

The Company's direct business, which contributed approximately \$2.6 million to the comparable sales increase this quarter, continues to perform strongly as a result of increased catalog circulation, its new co-branded Sears-Casual Male catalog and its continued internet growth of approximately 60%, or \$1.8 million, this quarter compared to the second quarter of fiscal 2005. The Company's Rochester direct business also performed strongly during the second quarter with an increase of approximately 45% over the comparable quarter of fiscal 2005 due primarily to improved catalog productivity and internet growth.

For the six months ended July 29, 2006, total sales increased 8.5% to \$214.7 million from \$197.9 million for the six months ended July 30, 2005. Comparable sales for the first six months of fiscal 2006 increased 8.1% when compared with the first six months of the prior year. Similar to the second quarter results, the increase in sales was attributed to all business channels with the Casual Male stores contributing 50% of the comparable sales increase.

#### Gross Profit Margin

For the second quarter of fiscal 2006, the Company's gross margin rate, inclusive of occupancy costs, was 45.3%, which was an increase of 1.9 percentage points as compared to a gross margin rate of 43.4% for the second quarter of fiscal 2005. This increase was primarily attributable to the leveraging of occupancy costs of 1.1 percentage points and improved merchandise margins of approximately 0.5 percentage points. The merchandise margin improvement was due to less markdowns and promotional activity as well improved initial margins from the Casual Male direct sourcing.

For the six months ended July 29, 2006, the Company's gross margin rate was 44.5% as compared to 42.4% for the six months ended July 30, 2005 of the prior year. This increase of 2.1 percentage points was primarily attributable to

improved merchandise margins of approximately 1.2 percentage points over the prior year and leveraging of occupancy costs of 0.8 percentage points. Similar to the second quarter improvement, the increase in merchandise margin was due to a decrease in promotional markdowns, less clearance of its fashion inventory and improved initial margins related to the Company's direct sourcing initiatives.

#### Selling, General and Administrative Expenses

Selling, general and administrative ("SG&A") expenses as a percentage of sales for the second quarter of fiscal 2006 were 36.0% as compared to 36.4% for the second quarter of fiscal 2005. For the six months ended July 29, 2006, SG&A expenses were 37.1% of sales as compared to 37.3% of sales for the six months ended July 30, 2005. The increase in SG&A expenses of \$3.6 million and \$5.8 million for the second quarter and first six months of fiscal 2006, respectively, is primarily due to four factors; (1) occupancy costs of \$0.9 million and \$1.8 million, respectively, for the second quarter and first six months of fiscal 2006 associated with the Company's new lease on its corporate headquarters which was part of the sale-leaseback that occurred on January 30, 2006, (2) expense accruals of \$0.8 million and \$1.4 million, respectively, for the second quarter and first six months of fiscal 2006 related to performance bonuses previously not earned, (3) incremental marketing expenses of \$1.0 million and \$2.0 million, respectively, for the second quarter and first six months of fiscal 2006 related to new customer prospecting and (4) operational expenses of \$0.4 million for both the second quarter and first six months of fiscal 2006 associated with the Company's newly acquired Jared M. business. SG&A expenses for the second quarter and first six months of fiscal 2006, without consideration of these incremental costs, increased approximately 1.4% and 0.3%, respectively, primarily related to the increased operational expenses necessary to support the sales growth. Although SG&A expenses increased for the second quarter and first six months of fiscal 2006, SG&A expenses as a percent of sales have decreased for both the second quarter and six month periods as compared to the prior year.

Similar to the factors described above that contributed to the Company's increase in SG&A expenses for the first six months of fiscal 2006, the Company expects to incur an incremental \$5.0-\$6.0 million in SG&A expenses during the second half of fiscal 2006 related to these items. Included in these incremental expenses are anticipated costs that the Company expects to incur related to its newly acquired Jared M. business in order to integrate the business into the existing Rochester infrastructure.

#### Depreciation and Amortization

For the second quarter of fiscal 2006, depreciation and amortization increased approximately \$0.4 million to \$3.4 million as compared to \$3.0 million for the second quarter of fiscal 2005. For the first six months of fiscal 2006, depreciation and amortization increased \$0.7 million to \$6.7 million to \$6.7 million as compared to \$6.0 million for the first six months of fiscal 2005 as a result of capital expenditures associated with new and remodeled stores, the Company's rebranding initiatives and other corporate capital expenditures.

#### Other Income (Expense), Net

During the first quarter of fiscal 2006, the Company sold its loss prevention subsidiary, LP Innovations, Inc. ("LPI"). The Company realized an initial gain on the sale of LPI in the amount of \$1.5 million which is included as part of other income (expense), net on the Consolidated Statement of Operations for the first six months of fiscal 2006. This gain was offset slightly by an accrual of approximately \$0.4 million primarily related to the reimbursement to Jewelcor Management, Inc. ("JMI") for certain legal costs incurred by JMI related to the Company. See Note 10 to the Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements.

#### Interest Expense, Net

Net interest expense was \$1.4 million for the second quarter of fiscal 2006 as compared to \$2.1 million for the second quarter of fiscal 2005. For the first six months of fiscal 2006, interest expense was \$2.6 million as compared to \$4.0 million for the first six months of fiscal 2005. This decrease in interest expense is due to the repayment of approximately \$22.1 million of long-term debt in addition to a decrease in average borrowings under the Company's credit facility of approximately \$23.3 million for the first six months of fiscal 2006 as compared to the prior year.

#### Income Taxes

During the fourth quarter of fiscal 2005, the Company determined that it is more likely than not that it will be able to realize the benefits of a portion of its deferred tax assets and a portion of the Company's valuation allowance was reversed at that time. For fiscal 2006, the Company began recording an income tax provision on its pretax earnings at its effective rate of 39.5%. Based on the net operating loss carryforwards available to the Company, management expects that cash payments for taxes will continue to be minimal at this time. As such, the Company utilized these net loss carryforwards toward a portion of its income tax provision for the first six months of fiscal 2006, which resulted in a reduction of its deferred tax assets of approximately \$2 million.

#### Net Income

For the second quarter of fiscal 2006, the Company had net income of \$3.4 million, or \$0.09 per diluted share, as compared to net income of \$2.0 million, or \$0.06 per diluted share, for the second quarter of fiscal 2005. For the first six months of fiscal 2006, the Company had net income of \$4.8 million, or \$0.13 per diluted share, as compared to net income of \$139,000, or \$0.00 per diluted share, for the first six months of fiscal 2005.

#### Inventory

At July 29, 2006, total inventory equaled \$101.0 million as compared to \$91.5 million at January 28, 2006 and \$86.5 million at July 30, 2005. The Company has increased its inventory, primarily in core product, to ensure that it is well-positioned with adequate stock by size in both its Casual Male and Rochester retail stores. The Company has also increased its inventory for its direct businesses to support the increased sales volumes.

During the second quarter of fiscal 2006, the Company changed its inventory valuation method from lower of cost or market, on a FIFO basis, using the retail method to lower of cost or market, on a weighted-average cost basis, using the cost method. The effect of this change in accounting principle was not material at January 29, 2006, April 29, 2006 and July 29, 2006.

#### **SEASONALITY**

Historically and consistent with the retail industry, the Company has experienced seasonal fluctuations in revenues and income, with increases traditionally occurring during the Company's third and fourth quarters as a result of the "Fall" and "Holiday" seasons.

#### LIQUIDITY AND CAPITAL RESOURCES

The Company's primary cash needs are for working capital (essentially inventory requirements) and capital expenditures. Specifically, the Company's capital expenditure program includes projects for new store openings, remodeling, downsizing or combining existing stores, and improvements and integration of its systems infrastructure. The Company expects that cash flow from operations, external borrowings and trade credit will enable it to finance its current working capital and expansion requirements. The Company has financed its working capital requirements, store expansion program, stock repurchase programs and acquisitions with cash flow from operations, external borrowings, and proceeds from equity and debt offerings. The Company's objective is to maintain a positive cash flow after capital expenditures such that it can support its growth activities with operational cash flows and without incurring any additional debt.

For the first six months of fiscal 2006, cash provided by operating activities was \$2.4 million as compared to \$0.6 million for the corresponding period of the prior year. The primary reason for the increase in cash flows from operating activities was due to the substantial improvement in operating income for the first six months of fiscal 2006 as compared to fiscal 2005, offset slightly by the timing of cash flows among the Company's working capital accounts.

In addition to cash flow from operations, the Company's other primary source of working capital is its credit facility with Bank of America Retail Group, Inc., which was most recently amended effective May 19, 2006 (the "Amended

Credit Facility"). The Amended Credit Facility continues to principally provide for a total commitment of \$90 million with the ability to issue documentary and standby letters of credits of up to \$20 million. The maturity date of the Amended Credit Facility was extended to October 29, 2007 and is subject to prepayment penalties through October 29, 2006. Borrowings under the Amended Credit Facility bear interest at variable rates based on Bank of America's prime rate or the London Interbank Offering Rate and vary depending on the Company's levels of excess availability.

The Company had \$5.3 million in borrowings under the Amended Credit Facility at July 29, 2006. Outstanding standby letters of credit were \$4.4 million and outstanding documentary letters of credit were \$2.9 million. Average borrowings outstanding under this facility during the first six months of fiscal 2006 were approximately \$2.2 million, resulting in an average unused excess availability of approximately \$69.5 million. Unused excess availability at July 29, 2006 was \$64.9 million.

As part of the Company's approved \$30 million stock repurchase program discussed above, during the second quarter of fiscal 2006, the Company repurchased 1.3 million shares for an aggregate cost, including broker commissions, of \$13.1 million, resulting in an average price of \$9.74 per share. The Company utilized funds available from its operating cash and borrowings under its Amended Credit Facility.

At January 28, 2006, the Company had approximately \$103.3 million of net operating loss carryforwards available for federal tax purposes and approximately \$91.0 million for state income tax purposes to offset future taxable income, subject to certain annual limitations, through fiscal 2024. Based on these net operating loss carryforwards, management expects that cash payments for taxes will continue to be minimal at this time. In addition, the Company will be able to utilize these net operating loss carryforwards to offset the gain of \$29.3 million that the Company recognized during the first quarter of fiscal 2006 in connection with the sale-leaseback transaction discussed above.

#### Capital Expenditures

The following table sets forth the stores opened and related square footage at July 29, 2006 and July 30, 2005, respectively:

	At July 29, 2006		At July 30, 2005	
	Number of	Square	Number of	Square
Store Concept	Stores	Footage	Stores	Footage
(square footage in thousands)				
Casual Male Big & Tall retail and outlet stores	484	1,662	496	1,695
Rochester Big & Tall	24	181	22	172
Sears Canada	12	14	13	15
Total Stores	520	1,857	531	1,882

Total cash outlays for capital expenditures for the first six months of fiscal 2006 were \$7.8 million as compared to \$6.6 million for the first six months of fiscal 2005. Below is a summary of store openings and closings since January 28, 2006:

	Casual Male	Rochester Big &Tall	Sears Canada	Total stores
At January 28, 2006	<u>Male</u> 481	24	13	518
New outlet stores	2		_	2
New retail stores	4	1	_	5
Closed stores	(3)	(1)	(1)	(5)
At July 29, 2006	484	24	12	520
Remodels	2			2

The Company expects that its total capital expenditures for fiscal 2006 will be approximately \$20.0 - \$22.0 million, of which \$8.0 - \$10.0 million relates to its rebranding of the Casual Male Big & Tall retail stores to Casual Male XL. The Company expects to incur approximately \$6.0-\$7.0 million for store capital related to new stores as well as

remodels and relocations, with the remainder for system enhancements, distribution and corporate facilities and other corporate level expenditures.

For the remainder of fiscal 2006, the Company intends to open two additional Casual Male stores, close up to 12 of its older Casual Male stores as their respective leases expire and relocate five other Casual Male stores to more desirable locations. The Company also plans to open two new Rochester Big & Tall retail stores.

#### CRITICAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES

With the adoption of SFAS 123R at the beginning of the Company's first quarter of fiscal 2006, "Stock-Based Compensation" was added as a critical accounting policy. Also, the Company has updated its critical accounting policy for Inventory for its change in accounting principle. There have been no other material changes to the critical accounting policies and estimates disclosed in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended January 28, 2006, filed with the SEC on March 31, 2006.

#### Stock-Based Compensation

As of January 29, 2006, the Company adopted SFAS 123R using the modified prospective method, which requires measurement of compensation cost for all stock awards at fair value on date of grant and recognition of compensation over the service period for awards expected to vest. The fair value of stock options is determined using the Black-Scholes valuation model, which is consistent with our valuation techniques previously utilized for options in footnote disclosures required under SFAS 123, as amended by SFAS 148, and requires the input of highly subjective assumptions. These assumptions include estimating the length of time employees will retain their vested stock options before exercising them (the "expected term"), the estimated volatility of our common stock price over the expected term and the number of options that will ultimately not complete their vesting requirements ("forfeitures"). Changes in these subjective assumptions can materially affect the estimate of fair value of stock-based compensation and, consequently, the related amount recognized as an expense on the consolidated statements of operations. As required under the accounting rules, the Company reviews its valuation assumptions at each grant date and, as a result, is likely to change its valuation assumptions used to value employee stock-based awards granted in future periods. The values derived from using the Black-Scholes model are recognized as expense over the service period, net of estimated forfeitures. Actual results, and future changes in estimates, may differ substantially from these current estimates. Prior periods have not been restated to incorporate the stock-based compensation charge. The initial compensation expense recognized in the first quarter of fiscal 2006 in connection with the adoption of SFAS 123R decreased the Company's income before taxes and net income by \$52,000 and \$31,000, respectively, with no impact to earnings per share. There was no impact on cash flows from operations, investment, or financing in connectio

#### Inventory

During the second quarter of fiscal 2006, the Company changed its inventory valuation method. Previously, inventory was principally valued at the lower of cost or market on a first in, first out, or FIFO, basis under the retail inventory method. Inventory for the Company's catalog and e-commerce businesses were accounted for using the average cost method. Commencing in the second quarter of fiscal 2006, all inventories will be valued at the lower of cost or market, using a weighted-average cost method. The Company believes that the weighted-average cost method is preferable as compared to the retail inventory method because it will provide much greater precision in the costing of sales and inventory, which will enable the Company to better manage its margins, control its promotions and value its inventory. Because the weighted-average cost values inventory based on actual quantities of specific SKUs on hand valued at an average purchase cost for a particular SKU rather than an estimate of an average cost complement for a pool of inventory, the average cost method increases the accuracy of reporting the value of inventory and improves the matching of costs with revenue. Further, it is consistent with the practices of many other retailers. In addition, since implementation of the new inventory system, the Company's operations have been managed based on data provided from the perpetual inventory system. By valuing inventory based on the perpetual records, financial reporting of the Company is aligned with operations. Furthermore, the perpetual inventory provides SKU level/store level shrink measures to allow for more accurate estimates of shrink reserves for periodic reporting.

The revaluation of inventory using the weighted-average cost method approximated the Company's inventory valuation under the previous FIFO retail method at January 29, 2006, April 29, 2006 and July 29, 2006; accordingly, the impact of the change was not material to the financial statements for the three and six months ended July 29, 2006. Further, the impact of the change is not expected to have a material effect on future periods. Due to system conversions that were completed at the end of fiscal 2005, the Company was able to generate SKU-level cost detail for all locations. Prior to such conversions, the Company could not determine the impact of the change to the weighted-average cost method and therefore could not retroactively apply the change to prior year periods presented.

#### Item 3. Quantitative and Qualitative Disclosures About Market Risk.

In the normal course of business, the financial position and results of operations of the Company are routinely subject to a variety of risks, including market risk associated with interest rate movements on borrowings and foreign currency fluctuations. The Company regularly assesses these risks and has established policies and business practices to protect against the adverse effects of these and other potential exposures.

#### Interest Rates

The Company utilizes cash from operations and the Amended Credit Facility to fund its working capital needs. The Amended Credit Facility is not used for trading or speculative purposes. In addition, the Company has available letters of credit as sources of financing for its working capital requirements. Borrowings under the Amended Credit Facility, which expires in October 29, 2007, bear interest at variable rates based on Bank of America's prime rate or the London Interbank Offering Rate ("LIBOR"). At July 29, 2006, the prime interest rate on borrowings was 8.25% and the Company had no outstanding LIBOR contracts. Based upon a sensitivity analysis as of July 29, 2006, assuming average outstanding borrowing during fiscal 2006 of \$2.2 million, a 50 basis point increase in the prime based interest rates would have resulted in a potential increase in interest expense of approximately \$11,000.

#### Foreign Currency

The Company's Sears Canada store locations conduct business in Canadian dollars and the Company's Rochester Big & Tall Clothing store located in London, England conducts business in British pounds. If the value of the Canadian dollar or the British pound against the U.S. dollar weakens, the revenues and earnings of these stores will be reduced when they are translated to U.S. dollars. Also, the value of these assets to U.S. dollars may decline. As of July 29, 2006, sales from the Company's Sears Canada stores and its London Rochester Big & Tall store were immaterial to consolidated sales. As such, the Company believes that movement in foreign currency exchange rates will not have a material adverse affect on the financial position or results of operations of the Company.

#### Item 4. Controls and Procedures.

#### **Evaluation of Disclosure Controls and Procedures**

As required by Rule 13a-15 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), the Company's management, under the supervision and with the participation of the Company's Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer, evaluated the effectiveness of the Company's disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e) under the Exchange Act) as of July 29, 2006. Disclosure controls and procedures include, without limitation, controls and procedures designed to ensure that information required to be disclosed by a company in the reports that it files or submits under the Exchange Act is accumulated and communicated to the company's management, including its principal executive and principal financial officers, as appropriate to allow timely decisions regarding required disclosure. Management recognizes that any controls and procedures, no matter how well designed and operated, can provide only reasonable assurance of achieving their objectives and management necessarily applies its judgment in evaluating the cost-benefit relationship of possible controls and procedures. Based on this evaluation, the Company's Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer concluded that, as of July 29, 2006, the Company's disclosure controls and procedures were effective, in that they provide reasonable assurance that information required to be disclosed by the Company in the reports that it files or submits under the Exchange Act is recorded, processed, summarized and reported within the time periods specified in the SEC's rules and forms.

#### Changes in Internal Control over Financial Reporting

No change in the Company's internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f) under the Exchange Act) occurred during the quarter ended July 29, 2006 that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the Company's internal control over financial reporting.

#### PART II. OTHER INFORMATION

#### Item 1. Legal Proceedings.

We are subject to various legal proceedings and claims that may arise in the ordinary course of business. We believe that the resolution of these matters will not have an adverse impact on our results of operations or our financial position.

#### Item 1A. Risk Factors.

There have been no material changes to the risk factors as previously disclosed in Part I, Item 1A ("Risk Factors") of the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended January 28, 2006 filed with the SEC on March 31 2006.

#### Item 2. Unregistered Sales of Equity Securities and Use of Proceeds.

#### (c) Issuer Purchases of Equity Securities

The following is a summary of the Company's share repurchase activity for the three months ended July 29, 2006:

	(a)  Total Number of Shares	(b)  Average Price	(c)  Total Number of Shares Purchased as Part of Publicly	(d) Maximum Number (or Approximate Dollar Value) of Shares that May
Period	Purchased (2)	Paid per Share	Announced Plan (1)	Yet Be Purchased Under the Plan <sup>(1)</sup>
April 30, 2006 – May 27, 2006	_	_	_	_
May 28, 2006 – July 1, 2006	1,349,712	\$ 9.74	1,349,712	\$ 16,858,112
July 2, 2006 – July 29, 2006	_	_	_	_
Total	1,349,712	\$ 9.74	1,349,712	\$ 16,858,112

On June 7, 2006, the Company publicly announced a \$30 million stock repurchase program.

#### Item 3. Default Upon Senior Securities.

None.

#### Item 4. Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders.

None.

#### Item 5. Other Information.

During the second quarter of fiscal 2006, the Company notified George Foreman Productions, Inc. that it would not be exercising its option to extend its License Agreement, Endorsement Agreement and Footwear Agreement when the initial terms expire December 31, 2006.

<sup>(2)</sup> Share repurchases under the program were made pursuant to open-market purchases.

Item 6.	Exhibits.
10.1	Casual Male Retail Group, Inc. 2006 Incentive Compensation Plan.
10.2	Form of Non-Qualified Stock Option Agreement for the Chairman and Executive Officers.
10.3	Form of Incentive Stock Option Agreement for the Chairman and Executive Officers.
10.4	Form of Non-Qualified Stock Option Agreement for Non-Employee Directors.
18.1	Preferability Letter from Ernst & Young LLP, Independent Public Accounting Firm.
31.1	Certification of the Chief Executive Officer of the Company pursuant to Rule 13a-14(a) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.
31.2	Certification of the Chief Financial Officer of the Company pursuant to Rule 13a-14(a) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.
32.1	Certification of Chief Executive Officer pursuant to 18 U.S.C. Section 1350, as adopted pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.
32.2	Certification of Chief Financial Officer pursuant to 18 U.S.C. Section 1350, as adopted pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.

#### **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

Date: August 18, 2006

CASUAL MALE RETAIL GROUP, INC.

By: /s/ DENNIS R. HERNREICH

Dennis R. Hernreich

Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

Exhibit 10.1

CASUAL MALE RETAIL GROUP, INC.

2006 INCENTIVE COMPENSATION PLAN

#### CASUAL MALE RETAIL GROUP, INC.

#### 2006 INCENTIVE COMPENSATION PLAN

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#### CASUAL MALE RETAIL GROUP, INC.

#### 2006 INCENTIVE COMPENSATION PLAN

- 1. *Purpose*. The purpose of this CASUAL MALE RETAIL GROUP, INC. 2006 INCENTIVE COMPENSATION PLAN (the "Plan") is to assist CASUAL MALE RETAIL GROUP, INC., a Delaware corporation (the "Company") and its Related Entities (as hereinafter defined) in attracting, motivating, retaining and rewarding high-quality executives and other employees, officers, directors, consultants and other persons who provide services to the Company or its Related Entities by enabling such persons to acquire or increase a proprietary interest in the Company in order to strengthen the mutuality of interests between such persons and the Company's shareholders, and providing such persons with performance incentives to expend their maximum efforts in the creation of shareholder value.
  - 2. *Definitions*. For purposes of the Plan, the following terms shall be defined as set forth below, in addition to such terms defined in Section 1 hereof.
- (a) "Award" means any Option, Stock Appreciation Right, Restricted Stock Award, Deferred Stock Award, Share granted as a bonus or in lieu of another Award, Dividend Equivalent, Other Stock-Based Award or Performance Award, together with any other right or interest, granted to a Participant under the Plan.
- (b) "Award Agreement" means any written agreement, contract or other instrument or document evidencing any Award granted by the Committee hereunder.
- (c) "*Beneficiary*" means the person, persons, trust or trusts that have been designated by a Participant in his or her most recent written beneficiary designation filed with the Committee to receive the benefits specified under the Plan upon such Participant's death or to which Awards or other rights are transferred if and to the extent permitted under Section 10(b) hereof. If, upon a Participant's death, there is no designated Beneficiary or surviving designated Beneficiary, then the term Beneficiary means the person, persons, trust or trusts entitled by will or the laws of descent and distribution to receive such benefits.
  - (d) "Beneficial Owner" shall have the meaning ascribed to such term in Rule 13d-3 under the Exchange Act and any successor to such Rule.
  - (e) "Board" means the Company's Board of Directors.
- (f) "Cause" shall, with respect to any Participant, have the meaning specified in the Award Agreement. In the absence of any definition in the Award Agreement, "Cause" shall have the equivalent meaning or the same meaning as "cause" or "for cause" set forth in any employment, consulting, or other agreement for the performance of services between the Participant and the Company or a Related Entity or, in the absence of any such agreement or any such definition in such agreement, such term shall mean (i) the failure by the Participant to perform, in a reasonable manner, his or her duties as assigned by the Company or a Related Entity, (ii) any violation or breach by the Participant of his or her employment, consulting or other similar agreement with the Company or a Related Entity, if any, (iii) any violation or

breach by the Participant of any non-competition, non-solicitation, non-disclosure and/or other similar agreement with the Company or a Related Entity, (iv) any act by the Participant of dishonesty or bad faith with respect to the Company or a Related Entity, (v) use of alcohol, drugs or other similar substances in a manner that adversely affects the Participant's work performance, or (vi) the commission by the Participant of any act, misdemeanor, or crime reflecting unfavorably upon the Participant or the Company or any Related Entity. The good faith determination by the Committee of whether the Participant's Continuous Service was terminated by the Company for "Cause" shall be final and binding for all purposes hereunder.

- (g) "Change in Control" means a Change in Control as defined in Section 9(b) of the Plan.
- (h) "*Code*" means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended from time to time, including regulations thereunder and successor provisions and regulations thereto.
- (i) "Committee" means a committee designated by the Board to administer the Plan; provided, however, that if the Board fails to designate a committee or if there are no longer any members on the committee so designated by the Board, then the Board shall serve as the Committee. The Committee shall consist of at least two directors, and each member of the Committee shall be (i) a "non-employee director" within the meaning of Rule 16b-3 (or any successor rule) under the Exchange Act, unless administration of the Plan by "non-employee directors" is not then required in order for exemptions under Rule 16b-3 to apply to transactions under the Plan, (ii) an "outside director" within the meaning of Section 162(m) of the Code, and (iii) "Independent".
- (j) "Consultant" means any person (other than an Employee or a Director, solely with respect to rendering services in such person's capacity as a director) who is engaged by the Company or any Related Entity to render consulting or advisory services to the Company or such Related Entity.
- (k) "Continuous Service" means the uninterrupted provision of services to the Company or any Related Entity in any capacity of Employee, Director, Consultant or other service provider. Continuous Service shall not be considered to be interrupted in the case of (i) any approved leave of absence, (ii) transfers among the Company, any Related Entities, or any successor entities, in any capacity of Employee, Director, Consultant or other service provider, or (iii) any change in status as long as the individual remains in the service of the Company or a Related Entity in any capacity of Employee, Director, Consultant or other service provider (except as otherwise provided in the Award Agreement). An approved leave of absence shall include sick leave, military leave, or any other authorized personal leave.
- (1) "Covered Employee" means an Eligible Person who is a "covered employee" within the meaning of Section 162(m)(3) of the Code, or any successor provision thereto.
- (m) "Deferred Stock" means a right to receive Shares, including Restricted Stock, cash measured based upon the value of Shares or a combination thereof, at the end of a specified deferral period.

- (n) "Deferred Stock Award" means an Award of Deferred Stock granted to a Participant under Section 6(e) hereof.
- (o) "Director" means a member of the Board or the board of directors of any Related Entity.
- (p) "Disability" means a permanent and total disability (within the meaning of Section 22(e) of the Code), as determined by a medical doctor satisfactory to the Committee.
- (q) "Dividend Equivalent" means a right, granted to a Participant under Section 6(g) hereof, to receive cash, Shares, other Awards or other property equal in value to dividends paid with respect to a specified number of Shares, or other periodic payments.
  - (r) "Effective Date" means the effective date of the Plan, which shall be the Shareholder Approval Date.
- (s) "Eligible Person" means each officer, Director, Employee, Consultant and other person who provides services to the Company or any Related Entity. The foregoing notwithstanding, only employees of the Company, or any parent corporation or subsidiary corporation of the Company (as those terms are defined in Sections 424(e) and (f) of the Code, respectively), shall be Eligible Persons for purposes of receiving any Incentive Stock Options. An Employee on leave of absence may be considered as still in the employ of the Company or a Related Entity for purposes of eligibility for participation in the Plan.
- (t) "*Employee*" means any person, including an officer or Director, who is an employee of the Company or any Related Entity. The payment of a director's fee by the Company or a Related Entity shall not be sufficient to constitute "employment" by the Company.
- (u) "Exchange Act" means the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended from time to time, including rules thereunder and successor provisions and rules thereto.
- (v) "Fair Market Value" means the fair market value of Shares, Awards or other property as determined by the Committee, or under procedures established by the Committee. Unless otherwise determined by the Committee, the Fair Market Value of a Share as of any given date shall be the closing sale price per Share reported on a consolidated basis for stock listed on the principal stock exchange or market on which Shares are traded on the date immediately preceding the date as of which such value is being determined or, if there is no sale on that date, then on the last previous day on which a sale was reported.
- (w) "Good Reason" shall, with respect to any Participant, have the meaning specified in the Award Agreement. In the absence of any definition in the Award Agreement, "Good Reason" shall have the equivalent meaning or the same meaning as "good reason" or "for good reason" set forth in any employment, consulting or other agreement for the performance of services between the Participant and the Company or a Related Entity or, in the absence of any such agreement or any such definition in such agreement, such term shall mean (i) the assignment to the Participant of any duties inconsistent in any material respect with the Participant's duties or responsibilities as assigned by the Company or a Related Entity, or any other action by the Company or a Related Entity which results in a material diminution in such

duties or responsibilities, excluding for this purpose an isolated, insubstantial and inadvertent action not taken in bad faith and which is remedied by the Company or a Related Entity promptly after receipt of notice thereof given by the Participant; (ii) any material failure by the Company or a Related Entity to comply with its obligations to the Participant as agreed upon, other than an isolated, insubstantial and inadvertent failure not occurring in bad faith and which is remedied by the Company or a Related Entity promptly after receipt of notice thereof given by the Participant; or (iii) the Company's or Related Entity's requiring the Participant to be based at any office or location outside of fifty miles from the location of employment or service as of the date of Award, except for travel reasonably required in the performance of the Participant's responsibilities.

- (x) "Incentive Stock Option" means any Option intended to be designated as an incentive stock option within the meaning of Section 422 of the Code or any successor provision thereto.
- (y) "*Independent*", when referring to either the Board or members of the Committee, shall have the same meaning as used in the rules of the Nasdaq Stock Market or any national securities exchange on which any securities of the Company are listed for trading, and if not listed for trading, by the rules of the Nasdaq Stock Market.
  - (z) "Incumbent Board" means the Incumbent Board as defined in Section 9(b)(ii) of the Plan.
- (aa) "Option" means a right granted to a Participant under Section 6(b) hereof, to purchase Shares or other Awards at a specified price during specified time periods.
- (bb) "*Optionee*" means a person to whom an Option is granted under this Plan or any person who succeeds to the rights of such person under this Plan.
  - (cc) "Other Stock-Based Awards" means Awards granted to a Participant under Section 6(i) hereof.
- (dd) "Participant" means a person who has been granted an Award under the Plan which remains outstanding, including a person who is no longer an Eligible Person.
  - (ee) "Performance Award" shall mean any Award of Performance Shares or Performance Units granted pursuant to Section 6(h).
- (ff) "*Performance Period*" means that period established by the Committee at the time any Performance Award is granted or at any time thereafter during which any performance goals specified by the Committee with respect to such Award are to be measured.
- (gg) "*Performance Share*" means any grant pursuant to Section 6(h) of a unit valued by reference to a designated number of Shares, which value may be paid to the Participant by delivery of such property as the Committee shall determine, including cash, Shares, other property, or any combination thereof, upon achievement of such performance goals during the Performance Period as the Committee shall establish at the time of such grant or thereafter.

- (hh) "*Performance Unit*" means any grant pursuant to Section 6(h) of a unit valued by reference to a designated amount of property (including cash) other than Shares, which value may be paid to the Participant by delivery of such property as the Committee shall determine, including cash, Shares, other property, or any combination thereof, upon achievement of such performance goals during the Performance Period as the Committee shall establish at the time of such grant or thereafter.
- (ii) "*Person*" shall have the meaning ascribed to such term in Section 3(a)(9) of the Exchange Act and used in Sections 13(d) and 14(d) thereof, and shall include a "group" as defined in Section 13(d) thereof.
  - (jj) "Prior Plan" means the Company's 1992 Stock Incentive Plan, as amended.
- (kk) "*Related Entity*" means any Subsidiary, and any business, corporation, partnership, limited liability company or other entity designated by Board in which the Company or a Subsidiary holds a substantial ownership interest, directly or indirectly.
- (ll) "*Restricted Stock*" means any Share issued with the restriction that the holder may not sell, transfer, pledge or assign such Share and with such risks of forfeiture and other restrictions as the Committee, in its sole discretion, may impose (including any restriction on the right to vote such Share and the right to receive any dividends), which restrictions may lapse separately or in combination at such time or times, in installments or otherwise, as the Committee may deem appropriate.
  - (mm) "Restricted Stock Award" means an Award granted to a Participant under Section 6(d) hereof.
- (nn) "*Rule 16b-3*" means Rule 16b-3, as from time to time in effect and applicable to the Plan and Participants, promulgated by the Securities and Exchange Commission under Section 16 of the Exchange Act.
- (oo) "Shareholder Approval Date" means the date on which this Plan is approved shareholders of the Company eligible to vote in the election of directors, by a vote sufficient to meet the requirements of Code Sections 162(m) (if applicable) and 422, Rule 16b-3 under the Exchange Act (if applicable), applicable requirements under the rules of any stock exchange or automated quotation system on which the Shares may be listed on quoted, and other laws, regulations and obligations of the Company applicable to the Plan.
- (pp) "Shares" means the shares of common stock of the Company, par value \$.01 per share, and such other securities as may be substituted (or resubstituted) for Shares pursuant to Section 10(c) hereof.
  - (qq) "Stock Appreciation Right" means a right granted to a Participant under Section 6(c) hereof.
- (rr) "Subsidiary" means any corporation or other entity in which the Company has a direct or indirect ownership interest of 50% or more of the total combined voting power of

the then outstanding securities or interests of such corporation or other entity entitled to vote generally in the election of directors or in which the Company has the right to receive 50% or more of the distribution of profits or 50% or more of the assets on liquidation or dissolution.

(ss) "*Substitute Awards*" shall mean Awards granted or Shares issued by the Company in assumption of, or in substitution or exchange for, Awards previously granted, or the right or obligation to make future Awards, by a company acquired by the Company or any Related Entity or with which the Company or any Related Entity combines.

#### 3. Administration.

- (a) *Authority of the Committee*. The Plan shall be administered by the Committee, except to the extent the Board elects to administer the Plan, in which case the Plan shall be administered by only those directors who are Independent Directors, in which case references herein to the "Committee" shall be deemed to include references to the Independent members of the Board. The Committee shall have full and final authority, subject to and consistent with the provisions of the Plan, to select Eligible Persons to become Participants, grant Awards, determine the type, number and other terms and conditions of, and all other matters relating to, Awards, prescribe Award Agreements (which need not be identical for each Participant) and rules and regulations for the administration of the Plan, construe and interpret the Plan and Award Agreements and correct defects, supply omissions or reconcile inconsistencies therein, and to make all other decisions and determinations as the Committee may deem necessary or advisable for the administration of the Plan. In exercising any discretion granted to the Committee under the Plan or pursuant to any Award, the Committee shall not be required to follow past practices, act in a manner consistent with past practices, or treat any Eligible Person or Participant in a manner consistent with the treatment of other Eligible Persons or Participants.
- (b) *Manner of Exercise of Committee Authority*. The Committee, and not the Board, shall exercise sole and exclusive discretion on any matter relating to a Participant then subject to Section 16 of the Exchange Act with respect to the Company to the extent necessary in order that transactions by such Participant shall be exempt under Rule 16b-3 under the Exchange Act. Any action of the Committee shall be final, conclusive and binding on all persons, including the Company, its Related Entities, Participants, Beneficiaries, transferees under Section 10(b) hereof or other persons claiming rights from or through a Participant, and shareholders. The express grant of any specific power to the Committee, and the taking of any action by the Committee, shall not be construed as limiting any power or authority of the Committee. The Committee may delegate to officers or managers of the Company or any Related Entity, or committees thereof, the authority, subject to such terms as the Committee shall determine, to perform such functions, including administrative functions as the Committee may determine to the extent that such delegation will not result in the loss of an exemption under Rule 16b-3(d)(1) for Awards granted to Participants subject to Section 16 of the Exchange Act in respect of the Company and will not cause Awards intended to qualify as "performance-based compensation" under Code Section 162(m) to fail to so qualify. The Committee may appoint agents to assist it in administering the Plan.

(c) *Limitation of Liability*. The Committee and the Board, and each member thereof, shall be entitled to, in good faith, rely or act upon any report or other information furnished to him or her by any officer or Employee, the Company's independent auditors, Consultants or any other agents assisting in the administration of the Plan. Members of the Committee and the Board, and any officer or Employee acting at the direction or on behalf of the Committee or the Board, shall not be personally liable for any action or determination taken or made in good faith with respect to the Plan, and shall, to the extent permitted by law, be fully indemnified and protected by the Company with respect to any such action or determination.

#### 4. Shares Subject to Plan.

- (a) *Limitation on Overall Number of Shares Available for Delivery Under Plan*. Subject to adjustment as provided in Section 10(c) hereof, the total number of Shares reserved and available for delivery under the Plan shall be 2,500,000; provided, however, that the maximum number of Shares issued or available for issuance under the Plan with respect to Awards other than Options and Stock Appreciation Rights shall not exceed 1,250,000. Any Shares delivered under the Plan may consist, in whole or in part, of authorized and unissued shares or treasury shares.
- (b) Application of Limitation to Grants of Award. No Award may be granted if the number of Shares to be delivered in connection with such an Award or, in the case of an Award relating to Shares but settled only in cash (such as cash-only Stock Appreciation Rights), the number of Shares to which such Award relates, exceeds the number of Shares remaining available for delivery under the Plan, minus the number of Shares deliverable in settlement of or relating to then outstanding Awards. The Committee may adopt reasonable counting procedures to ensure appropriate counting, avoid double counting (as, for example, in the case of tandem or substitute awards) and make adjustments if the number of Shares actually delivered differs from the number of Shares previously counted in connection with an Award.

#### (c) Availability of Shares Not Delivered under Awards and Adjustments to Limits.

- (i) If any Shares subject to an Award are forfeited, expire or otherwise terminate without issuance of such Shares, or any Award is settled for cash or otherwise does not result in the issuance of all or a portion of the Shares subject to such Award, the Shares shall, to the extent of such forfeiture, expiration, termination, cash settlement or non-issuance, again be available for Awards under the Plan, subject to Section 4(c)(v) below.
- (ii) Awards that are settled or exercised through the payment of Shares shall be counted in full against the number of Shares available for award under the Plan, regardless of the number of Shares actually issued upon settlement or exercise of any such Award.
- (iii) Substitute Awards shall not reduce the Shares authorized for grant under the Plan or authorized for grant to a Participant in any period. Additionally, in the event that a company acquired by the Company or any Related Entity or with which the Company or any Related Entity combines has shares available under a pre-existing plan approved by

shareholders and not adopted in contemplation of such acquisition or combination, the shares available for delivery pursuant to the terms of such pre-existing plan (as adjusted, to the extent appropriate, using the exchange ratio or other adjustment or valuation ratio or formula used in such acquisition or combination to determine the consideration payable to the holders of common stock of the entities party to such acquisition or combination) may be used for Awards under the Plan and shall not reduce the Shares authorized for delivery under the Plan; provided that Awards using such available shares shall not be made after the date awards or grants could have been made under the terms of the pre-existing plan, absent the acquisition or combination, and shall only be made to individuals who were not Employees or Directors prior to such acquisition or combination.

- (iv) Any Shares that again become available for delivery pursuant to this Section 4(c) shall be added back as one (1) Share.
- (v) Notwithstanding anything in this Section 4(c) to the contrary and solely for purposes of determining whether Shares are available for the delivery of Incentive Stock Options, the maximum aggregate number of shares that may be granted under this Plan shall be determined without regard to any Shares restored pursuant to this Section 4(c) that, if taken into account, would cause the Plan to fail the requirement under Code Section 422 that the Plan designate a maximum aggregate number of shares that may be issued.
- (d) No Further Awards Under Prior Plan. In light of the adoption of this Plan, no further awards shall be made under the Prior Plan after the Effective Date.
- 5. *Eligibility; Per-Person Award Limitations*. Awards may be granted under the Plan only to Eligible Persons. Subject to adjustment as provided in Section 10(c), in any fiscal year of the Company during any part of which the Plan is in effect, no Participant may be granted Awards with respect to more than 500,000 Shares. In addition, the maximum dollar value payable to any one Participant with respect to Performance Units is (x) \$1,000,000 with respect to any 12 month Performance Period (pro-rated for any Performance Period that is less than 12 months based upon the ratio of the number of days in the Performance Period as compared to 365), and (y) with respect to any Performance Period that is more than 12 months, \$2,000,000.

#### 6. Specific Terms of Awards.

(a) *General*. Awards may be granted on the terms and conditions set forth in this Section 6. In addition, the Committee may impose on any Award or the exercise thereof, at the date of grant or thereafter (subject to Section 10(e)), such additional terms and conditions, not inconsistent with the provisions of the Plan, as the Committee shall determine, including terms requiring forfeiture of Awards in the event of termination of the Participant's Continuous Service and terms permitting a Participant to make elections relating to his or her Award. The Committee shall retain full power and discretion to accelerate, waive or modify, at any time, any term or condition of an Award that is not mandatory under the Plan. Except in cases in which the Committee is authorized to require other forms of consideration under the Plan, or to the extent other forms of consideration must be paid to satisfy the requirements of Delaware law, no consideration other than services may be required for the grant (but not the exercise) of any Award.

- (b) *Options*. The Committee is authorized to grant Options to any Eligible Person on the following terms and conditions:
- (i) *Exercise Price*. Other than in connection with Substitute Awards, the exercise price per Share purchasable under an Option shall be determined by the Committee, provided that such exercise price shall not be less than 100% of the Fair Market Value of a Share on the date of grant of the Option and shall not, in any event, be less than the par value of a Share on the date of grant of the Option. If an Employee owns or is deemed to own (by reason of the attribution rules applicable under Section 424(d) of the Code) more than 10% of the combined voting power of all classes of stock of the Company (or any parent corporation or subsidiary corporation of the Company, as those terms are defined in Sections 424(e) and (f) of the Code, respectively) and an Incentive Stock Option is granted to such employee, the exercise price of such Incentive Stock Option (to the extent required by the Code at the time of grant) shall be no less than 110% of the Fair Market Value a Share on the date such Incentive Stock Option is granted. Other than pursuant to Section 10(c), the Committee shall not be permitted to (A) lower the exercise price per Share of an Option after it is granted, (B) cancel an Option when the exercise price per Share exceeds the Fair Market Value of the underlying Shares in exchange for another Award (other than in connection with Substitute Awards), or (C) take any other action with respect to an Option that may be treated as a repricing, without approval of the Company's shareholders.
- (ii) *Time and Method of Exercise*. The Committee shall determine the time or times at which or the circumstances under which an Option may be exercised in whole or in part (including based on achievement of performance goals and/or future service requirements), the time or times at which Options shall cease to be or become exercisable following termination of Continuous Service or upon other conditions, the methods by which the exercise price may be paid or deemed to be paid (including in the discretion of the Committee a cashless exercise procedure), the form of such payment, including, without limitation, cash, Shares, other Awards or Awards granted under other plans of the Company or a Related Entity, or other property (including notes or other contractual obligations of Participants to make payment on a deferred basis provided that such deferred payments are not in violation of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, or any rule or regulation adopted thereunder or any other applicable law), and the methods by or forms in which Shares will be delivered or deemed to be delivered to Participants.
- (iii) *Incentive Stock Options*. The terms of any Incentive Stock Option granted under the Plan shall comply in all respects with the provisions of Section 422 of the Code. Anything in the Plan to the contrary notwithstanding, no term of the Plan relating to Incentive Stock Options (including any Stock Appreciation Right issued in tandem therewith) shall be interpreted, amended or altered, nor shall any discretion or authority granted under the Plan be exercised, so as to disqualify either the Plan or any Incentive Stock Option under Section 422 of the Code, unless the Participant has first requested, or consents to, the change that will result in such disqualification. Thus, if and to the extent required to comply with Section 422 of

the Code, Options granted as Incentive Stock Options shall be subject to the following special terms and conditions:

- (A) the Option shall not be exercisable more than ten years after the date such Incentive Stock Option is granted; provided, however, that if a Participant owns or is deemed to own (by reason of the attribution rules of Section 424(d) of the Code) more than 10% of the combined voting power of all classes of stock of the Company (or any parent corporation or subsidiary corporation of the Company, as those terms are defined in Sections 424(e) and (f) of the Code, respectively) and the Incentive Stock Option is granted to such Participant, the term of the Incentive Stock Option shall be (to the extent required by the Code at the time of the grant) for no more than five years from the date of grant; and
- (B) The aggregate Fair Market Value (determined as of the date the Incentive Stock Option is granted) of the Shares with respect to which Incentive Stock Options granted under the Plan and all other option plans of the Company (and any parent corporation or subsidiary corporation of the Company, as those terms are defined in Sections 424(e) and (f) of the Code, respectively) during any calendar year exercisable for the first time by the Participant during any calendar year shall not (to the extent required by the Code at the time of the grant) exceed \$100,000.
- (c) *Stock Appreciation Rights*. The Committee may grant Stock Appreciation Rights to any Eligible Person in conjunction with all or part of any Option granted under the Plan or at any subsequent time during the term of such Option (a "Tandem Stock Appreciation Right"), or without regard to any Option (a "Freestanding Stock Appreciation Right"), in each case upon such terms and conditions as the Committee may establish in its sole discretion, not inconsistent with the provisions of the Plan, including the following:
- (i) *Right to Payment*. A Stock Appreciation Right shall confer on the Participant to whom it is granted a right to receive, upon exercise thereof, the excess of (A) the Fair Market Value of one Share on the date of exercise over (B) the grant price of the Stock Appreciation Right as determined by the Committee. The grant price of a Stock Appreciation Right shall not be less than the Fair Market Value of a Share on the date of grant, in the case of a Freestanding Stock Appreciation Right, or less than the associated Option exercise price, in the case of a Tandem Stock Appreciation Right. Other than pursuant to Section 10(c), the Committee shall not be permitted to (A) lower the grant price per Share of a Stock Appreciation Right after it is granted, (B) cancel a Stock Appreciation Right when the grant price per Share exceeds the Fair Market Value of the underlying Shares in exchange for another Award (other than in connection with Substitute Awards), or (C) take any other action with respect to a Stock Appreciation Right that may be treated as a repricing, without shareholder approval.
- (ii) *Other Terms*. The Committee shall determine at the date of grant or thereafter, the time or times at which and the circumstances under which a Stock Appreciation Right may be exercised in whole or in part (including based on achievement of performance goals and/or future service requirements), the time or times at which Stock Appreciation Rights shall cease to be or become exercisable following termination of Continuous Service or upon other conditions, the method of exercise, method of settlement, form of consideration payable in settlement, method by or forms in which Shares will be delivered or deemed to be delivered to Participants, whether or not a Stock Appreciation Right shall be in tandem or in combination with any other Award, and any other terms and conditions of any Stock Appreciation Right.

(iii) *Tandem Stock Appreciation Rights*. Any Tandem Stock Appreciation Right may be granted at the same time as the related Option is granted or, for Options that are not Incentive Stock Options, at any time thereafter before exercise or expiration of such Option. Any Tandem Stock Appreciation Right related to an Option may be exercised only when the related Option would be exercisable and the Fair Market Value of the Shares subject to the related Option exceeds the exercise price at which Shares can be acquired pursuant to the Option. In addition, if a Tandem Stock Appreciation Right exists with respect to less than the full number of Shares covered by a related Option, then an exercise or termination of such Option shall not reduce the number of Shares to which the Tandem Stock Appreciation Right applies until the number of Shares then exercisable under such Option equals the number of Shares to which the Tandem Stock Appreciation Right applies. Any Option related to a Tandem Stock Appreciation Right shall no longer be exercisable to the extent the Tandem Stock Appreciation Right has been exercised, and any Tandem Stock Appreciation Right shall no longer be exercisable to the extent the related Option has been exercised.

(d) **Restricted Stock Awards**. The Committee is authorized to grant Restricted Stock Awards to any Eligible Person on the following terms and conditions:

- (i) *Grant and Restrictions*. Restricted Stock Awards shall be subject to such restrictions on transferability, risk of forfeiture and other restrictions, if any, as the Committee may impose, or as otherwise provided in this Plan, covering a period of time specified by the Committee (the "Restriction Period"). The terms of any Restricted Stock Award granted under the Plan shall be set forth in a written Award Agreement which shall contain provisions determined by the Committee and not inconsistent with the Plan. The restrictions may lapse separately or in combination at such times, under such circumstances (including based on achievement of performance goals and/or future service requirements), in such installments or otherwise, as the Committee may determine at the date of grant or thereafter. Except to the extent restricted under the terms of the Plan and any Award Agreement relating to a Restricted Stock Award, a Participant granted Restricted Stock shall have all of the rights of a shareholder, including the right to vote the Restricted Stock and the right to receive dividends thereon (subject to any mandatory reinvestment or other requirement imposed by the Committee). During the Restriction Period, subject to Section 10(b) below, the Restricted Stock may not be sold, transferred, pledged, hypothecated, margined or otherwise encumbered by the Participant.
- (ii) *Forfeiture*. Except as otherwise determined by the Committee, upon termination of a Participant's Continuous Service during the applicable Restriction Period, the Participant's Restricted Stock that is at that time subject to a risk of forfeiture that has not lapsed or otherwise been satisfied shall be forfeited and reacquired by the Company; provided that the Committee may provide, by rule or regulation or in any Award Agreement, or may determine in any individual case, that forfeiture conditions relating to Restricted Stock Awards shall be waived in whole or in part in the event of terminations resulting from specified causes.

(iii) *Certificates for Stock*. Restricted Stock granted under the Plan may be evidenced in such manner as the Committee shall determine. If certificates representing

Restricted Stock are registered in the name of the Participant, the Committee may require that such certificates bear an appropriate legend referring to the terms, conditions and restrictions applicable to such Restricted Stock, that the Company retain physical possession of the certificates, and that the Participant deliver a stock power to the Company, endorsed in blank, relating to the Restricted Stock.

- (iv) *Dividends and Splits*. As a condition to the grant of a Restricted Stock Award, the Committee may require or permit a Participant to elect that any cash dividends paid on a Share of Restricted Stock be automatically reinvested in additional Shares of Restricted Stock or applied to the purchase of additional Awards under the Plan. Unless otherwise determined by the Committee, Shares distributed in connection with a stock split or stock dividend, and other property distributed as a dividend, shall be subject to restrictions and a risk of forfeiture to the same extent as the Restricted Stock with respect to which such Shares or other property have been distributed.
- (e) *Deferred Stock Award*. The Committee is authorized to grant Deferred Stock Awards to any Eligible Person on the following terms and conditions:
- (i) Award and Restrictions. Satisfaction of a Deferred Stock Award shall occur upon expiration of the deferral period specified for such Deferred Stock Award by the Committee (or, if permitted by the Committee, as elected by the Participant). In addition, a Deferred Stock Award shall be subject to such restrictions (which may include a risk of forfeiture) as the Committee may impose, if any, which restrictions may lapse at the expiration of the deferral period or at earlier specified times (including based on achievement of performance goals and/or future service requirements), separately or in combination, in installments or otherwise, as the Committee may determine. A Deferred Stock Award may be satisfied by delivery of Shares, cash equal to the Fair Market Value of the specified number of Shares covered by the Deferred Stock, or a combination thereof, as determined by the Committee at the date of grant or thereafter. Prior to satisfaction of a Deferred Stock Award, a Deferred Stock Award carries no voting or dividend or other rights associated with Share ownership.
- (ii) *Forfeiture*. Except as otherwise determined by the Committee, upon termination of a Participant's Continuous Service during the applicable deferral period or portion thereof to which forfeiture conditions apply (as provided in the Award Agreement evidencing the Deferred Stock Award), the Participant's Deferred Stock Award that is at that time subject to a risk of forfeiture that has not lapsed or otherwise been satisfied shall be forfeited; provided that the Committee may provide, by rule or regulation or in any Award Agreement, or may determine in any individual case, that forfeiture conditions relating to a Deferred Stock Award shall be waived in whole or in part in the event of terminations resulting from specified causes, and the Committee may in other cases waive in whole or in part the forfeiture of any Deferred Stock Award.
- (iii) *Dividend Equivalents*. Unless otherwise determined by the Committee at date of grant, any Dividend Equivalents that are granted with respect to any Deferred Stock Award shall be either (A) paid with respect to such Deferred Stock Award at the dividend payment date in cash or in Shares of unrestricted stock having a Fair Market Value equal to the amount of such dividends, or (B) deferred with respect to such Deferred Stock

Award and the amount or value thereof automatically deemed reinvested in additional Deferred Stock, other Awards or other investment vehicles, as the Committee shall determine or permit the Participant to elect.

- (f) **Bonus Stock and Awards in Lieu of Obligations**. The Committee is authorized to grant Shares to any Eligible Persons as a bonus, or to grant Shares or other Awards in lieu of obligations to pay cash or deliver other property under the Plan or under other plans or compensatory arrangements, provided that, in the case of Eligible Persons subject to Section 16 of the Exchange Act, the amount of such grants remains within the discretion of the Committee to the extent necessary to ensure that acquisitions of Shares or other Awards are exempt from liability under Section 16(b) of the Exchange Act. Shares or Awards granted hereunder shall be subject to such other terms as shall be determined by the Committee.
- (g) *Dividend Equivalents*. The Committee is authorized to grant Dividend Equivalents to any Eligible Person entitling the Eligible Person to receive cash, Shares, other Awards, or other property equal in value to the dividends paid with respect to a specified number of Shares, or other periodic payments. Dividend Equivalents may be Awarded on a free-standing basis or in connection with another Award. The Committee may provide that Dividend Equivalents shall be paid or distributed when accrued or shall be deemed to have been reinvested in additional Shares, Awards, or other investment vehicles, and subject to such restrictions on transferability and risks of forfeiture, as the Committee may specify.
- (h) *Performance Awards*. The Committee is authorized to grant Performance Awards to any Eligible Person payable in cash, Shares, or other Awards, on terms and conditions established by the Committee, subject to the provisions of Section 8 if and to the extent that the Committee shall, in its sole discretion, determine that an Award shall be subject to those provisions. The performance criteria to be achieved during any Performance Period and the length of the Performance Period shall be determined by the Committee upon the grant of each Performance Award. Except as provided in Section 9 or as may be provided in an Award Agreement, Performance Awards will be distributed only after the end of the relevant Performance Period. The performance goals to be achieved for each Performance Period shall be conclusively determined by the Committee and may be based upon the criteria set forth in Section 8(b), or in the case of an Award that the Committee determines shall not be subject to Section 8 hereof, any other criteria that the Committee, in its sole discretion, shall determine should be used for that purpose. The amount of the Award to be distributed shall be conclusively determined by the Committee. Performance Awards may be paid in a lump sum or in installments following the close of the Performance Period or, in accordance with procedures established by the Committee, on a deferred basis.
- (i) *Other Stock-Based Awards*. The Committee is authorized, subject to limitations under applicable law, to grant to any Eligible Person such other Awards that may be denominated or payable in, valued in whole or in part by reference to, or otherwise based on, or related to, Shares, as deemed by the Committee to be consistent with the purposes of the Plan. Other Stock-Based Awards may be granted to Participants either alone or in addition to other Awards granted under the Plan, and such Other Stock-Based Awards shall also be available as a form of payment in the settlement of other Awards granted under the Plan. The Committee shall determine the terms and conditions of such Awards. Shares delivered pursuant to an Award in

the nature of a purchase right granted under this Section 6(i) shall be purchased for such consideration, (including without limitation loans from the Company or a Related Entity provided that such loans are not in violation of the Sarbanes Oxley Act of 2002, or any rule or regulation adopted thereunder or any other applicable law) paid for at such times, by such methods, and in such forms, including, without limitation, cash, Shares, other Awards or other property, as the Committee shall determine.

#### 7. Certain Provisions Applicable to Awards.

- (a) *Stand-Alone, Additional, Tandem, and Substitute Awards*. Awards granted under the Plan may, in the discretion of the Committee, be granted either alone or in addition to, in tandem with, or in substitution or exchange for, any other Award or any award granted under another plan of the Company, any Related Entity, or any business entity to be acquired by the Company or a Related Entity, or any other right of a Participant to receive payment from the Company or any Related Entity. Such additional, tandem, and substitute or exchange Awards may be granted at any time. If an Award is granted in substitution or exchange for another Award or award, the Committee shall require the surrender of such other Award or award in consideration for the grant of the new Award. In addition, Awards may be granted in lieu of cash compensation, including in lieu of cash amounts payable under other plans of the Company or any Related Entity, in which the value of Stock subject to the Award is equivalent in value to the cash compensation (for example, Deferred Stock or Restricted Stock), or in which the exercise price, grant price or purchase price of the Award in the nature of a right that may be exercised is equal to the Fair Market Value of the underlying Stock minus the value of the cash compensation surrendered (for example, Options or Stock Appreciation Right granted with an exercise price or grant price "discounted" by the amount of the cash compensation surrendered).
- (b) *Term of Awards*. The term of each Award shall be for such period as may be determined by the Committee; provided that in no event shall the term of any Option or Stock Appreciation Right exceed a period of ten years (or in the case of an Incentive Stock Option such shorter term as may be required under Section 422 of the Code).
- (c) Form and Timing of Payment Under Awards; Deferrals. Subject to the terms of the Plan and any applicable Award Agreement, payments to be made by the Company or a Related Entity upon the exercise of an Option or other Award or settlement of an Award may be made in such forms as the Committee shall determine, including, without limitation, cash, Shares, other Awards or other property, and may be made in a single payment or transfer, in installments, or on a deferred basis. Any installment or deferral provided for in the preceding sentence shall, however, be subject to the Company's compliance with the provisions of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, the rules and regulations adopted by the Securities and Exchange Commission thereunder, and all applicable rules of the Nasdaq Stock Market or any national securities exchange on which the Company's securities are listed for trading and, if not listed for trading on either the Nasdaq Stock Market or a national securities exchange, then the rules of the Nasdaq Stock Market. The settlement of any Award may be accelerated, and cash paid in lieu of Shares in connection with such settlement, in the discretion of the Committee or upon occurrence of one or more specified events (in addition to a Change in Control). Installment or deferred payments may be required by the Committee (subject to Section 10(e) of

the Plan, including the consent provisions thereof in the case of any deferral of an outstanding Award not provided for in the original Award Agreement) or permitted at the election of the Participant on terms and conditions established by the Committee. Payments may include, without limitation, provisions for the payment or crediting of a reasonable interest rate on installment or deferred payments or the grant or crediting of Dividend Equivalents or other amounts in respect of installment or deferred payments denominated in Shares.

- (d) *Exemptions from Section 16(b) Liability.* It is the intent of the Company that the grant of any Awards to or other transaction by a Participant who is subject to Section 16 of the Exchange Act shall be exempt from Section 16 pursuant to an applicable exemption (except for transactions acknowledged in writing to be non-exempt by such Participant). Accordingly, if any provision of this Plan or any Award Agreement does not comply with the requirements of Rule 16b-3 then applicable to any such transaction, such provision shall be construed or deemed amended to the extent necessary to conform to the applicable requirements of Rule 16b-3 so that such Participant shall avoid liability under Section 16(b).
- (e) *Code Section 409A*. If and to the extent that the Committee believes that any Awards may constitute a "nonqualified deferred compensation plan" under Section 409A of the Code, the terms and conditions set forth in the Award Agreement for that Award shall be drafted in a manner that is intended to comply with, and those provisions (and the provisions of the Plan applicable thereto) shall be interpreted in a manner consistent with, the applicable requirements of Section 409A of the Code.

#### 8. Code Section 162(m) Provisions.

- (a) *Covered Employees.* The Committee, in its discretion, may determine at the time an Award is granted to an Eligible Person who is, or is likely to be, as of the end of the tax year in which the Company would claim a tax deduction in connection with such Award, a Covered Employee, that the provisions of this Section 8 shall be applicable to such Award.
- (b) *Performance Criteria*. If an Award is subject to this Section 8, then the lapsing of restrictions thereon and the distribution of cash, Shares or other property pursuant thereto, as applicable, shall be contingent upon achievement of one or more objective performance goals. Performance goals shall be objective and shall otherwise meet the requirements of Section 162(m) of the Code and regulations thereunder including the requirement that the level or levels of performance targeted by the Committee result in the achievement of performance goals being "substantially uncertain." One or more of the following business criteria for the Company, on a consolidated basis, and/or for Related Entities, or for business or geographical units of the Company and/or a Related Entity (except with respect to the total shareholder return and earnings per share criteria), shall be used by the Committee in establishing performance goals for such Awards: (1) earnings per share; (2) revenues or margins; (3) cash flow; (4) operating margin; (5) return on net assets, investment, capital, or equity; (6) economic value added; (7) direct contribution; (8) net income; pretax earnings; earnings before interest and taxes; earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization; earnings after interest expense and before extraordinary or special items; operating income; income before interest income or expense, unusual items and income taxes, local, state or federal and excluding

budgeted and actual bonuses which might be paid under any ongoing bonus plans of the Company; (9) working capital; (10) management of fixed costs or variable costs; (11) identification or consummation of investment opportunities or completion of specified projects in accordance with corporate business plans, including strategic mergers, acquisitions or divestitures; (12) total shareholder return; and (13) debt reduction. Any of the above goals may be determined on an absolute or relative basis or as compared to the performance of a published or special index deemed applicable by the Committee including, but not limited to, the Standard & Poor's 500 Stock Index or a group of companies that are comparable to the Company. The Committee shall exclude the impact of an event or occurrence which the Committee determines should appropriately be excluded, including without limitation (i) restructurings, discontinued operations, extraordinary items, and other unusual or non-recurring charges, (ii) an event either not directly related to the operations of the Company or not within the reasonable control of the Company's management, or (iii) a change in accounting standards required by generally accepted accounting principles.

- (c) *Performance Period; Timing For Establishing Performance Goals.* Achievement of performance goals in respect of such Performance Awards shall be measured over a Performance Period no shorter than 12 months and no longer than 5 years, as specified by the Committee. Performance goals shall be established not later than 90 days after the beginning of any Performance Period applicable to such Performance Awards, or at such other date as may be required or permitted for "performance-based compensation" under Code Section 162(m).
- (d) *Adjustments*. The Committee may, in its discretion, reduce the amount of a settlement otherwise to be made in connection with Awards subject to this Section 8, but may not exercise discretion to increase any such amount payable to a Covered Employee in respect of an Award subject to this Section 8. The Committee shall specify the circumstances in which such Awards shall be paid or forfeited in the event of termination of Continuous Service by the Participant prior to the end of a Performance Period or settlement of Awards.
- (e) *Committee Certification*. No Participant shall receive any payment under the Plan that is subject to this Section 8 unless the Committee has certified, by resolution or other appropriate action in writing, that the performance criteria and any other material terms previously established by the Committee or set forth in the Plan, have been satisfied to the extent necessary to qualify as "performance based compensation" under Code Section 162(m).

#### 9. Change in Control.

- (a) *Effect of "Change in Control."* If and only to the extent provided in the Award Agreement, or to the extent otherwise determined by the Committee, upon the occurrence of a "Change in Control," as defined in Section 9(b):
- (i) Any Option or Stock Appreciation Right that was not previously vested and exercisable as of the time of the Change in Control, shall become immediately vested and exercisable, subject to applicable restrictions set forth in Section 10(a) hereof.
- (ii) Any restrictions, deferral of settlement, and forfeiture conditions applicable to a Restricted Stock Award, Deferred Stock Award or an Other Stock-Based Award

subject only to future service requirements granted under the Plan shall lapse and such Awards shall be deemed fully vested as of the time of the Change in Control, except to the extent of any waiver by the Participant and subject to applicable restrictions set forth in Section 10(a) hereof.

- (iii) With respect to any outstanding Award subject to achievement of performance goals and conditions under the Plan, the Committee may, in its discretion, deem such performance goals and conditions as having been met as of the date of the Change in Control.
- (b) **Definition of "Change in Control"**. Unless otherwise specified in an Award Agreement, a "Change in Control" shall mean the occurrence of any of the following:
- (i) The acquisition by any Person of Beneficial Ownership (within the meaning of Rule 13d-3 promulgated under the Exchange Act) of more than fifty percent (50%) of either (A) the then outstanding shares of common stock of the Company (the "Outstanding Company Common Stock") or (B) the combined voting power of the then outstanding voting securities of the Company entitled to vote generally in the election of directors (the "Outstanding Company Voting Securities) (the foregoing Beneficial Ownership hereinafter being referred to as a "Controlling Interest"); provided, however, that for purposes of this Section 9(b), the following acquisitions shall not constitute or result in a Change of Control: (v) any acquisition directly from the Company; (w) any acquisition by the Company; (x) any acquisition by any Person that as of the Effective Date owns Beneficial Ownership of a Controlling Interest; (y) any acquisition by any employee benefit plan (or related trust) sponsored or maintained by the Company or any Subsidiary; or (z) any acquisition by any corporation pursuant to a transaction which complies with clauses (A), (B) and (C) of subsection (iii) below; or
- (ii) During any period of two (2) consecutive years (not including any period prior to the Effective Date) individuals who constitute the Board on the Effective Date (the "Incumbent Board") cease for any reason to constitute at least a majority of the Board; provided, however, that any individual becoming a director subsequent to the Effective Date whose election, or nomination for election by the Company's shareholders, was approved by a vote of at least a majority of the directors then comprising the Incumbent Board shall be considered as though such individual were a member of the Incumbent Board, but excluding, for this purpose, any such individual whose initial assumption of office occurs as a result of an actual or threatened election contest with respect to the election or removal of directors or other actual or threatened solicitation of proxies or consents by or on behalf of a Person other than the Board; or
- (iii) Consummation of a reorganization, merger, statutory share exchange or consolidation or similar corporate transaction involving the Company or any of its Subsidiaries, a sale or other disposition of all or substantially all of the assets of the Company, or the acquisition of assets or stock of another entity by the Company or any of its Subsidiaries (each a "Business Combination"), in each case, unless, following such Business Combination, (A) all or substantially all of the individuals and entities who were the Beneficial Owners, respectively, of the Outstanding Company Common Stock and Outstanding Company Voting Securities immediately prior to such Business Combination beneficially own, directly or indirectly, more than fifty percent (50%) of the then outstanding shares of common stock and the

combined voting power of the then outstanding voting securities entitled to vote generally in the election of directors, as the case may be, of the corporation resulting from such Business Combination (including, without limitation, a corporation which as a result of such transaction owns the Company or all or substantially all of the Company's assets either directly or through one or more subsidiaries) in substantially the same proportions as their ownership, immediately prior to such Business Combination of the Outstanding Company Common Stock and Outstanding Company Voting Securities, as the case may be, (B) no Person (excluding any employee benefit plan (or related trust) of the Company or such corporation resulting from such Business Combination or any Person that as of the Effective Date owns Beneficial Ownership of a Controlling Interest) beneficially owns, directly or indirectly, fifty percent (50%) or more of the then outstanding shares of common stock of the corporation resulting from such Business Combination or the combined voting power of the then outstanding voting securities of such corporation except to the extent that such ownership existed prior to the Business Combination and (C) at least a majority of the members of the Board of Directors of the corporation resulting from such Business Combination were members of the Incumbent Board at the time of the execution of the initial agreement, or of the action of the Board, providing for such Business Combination; or

(iv) Approval by the shareholders of the Company of a complete liquidation or dissolution of the Company.

#### 10. General Provisions.

- (a) *Compliance With Legal and Other Requirements.* The Company may, to the extent deemed necessary or advisable by the Committee, postpone the issuance or delivery of Shares or payment of other benefits under any Award until completion of such registration or qualification of such Shares or other required action under any federal or state law, rule or regulation, listing or other required action with respect to any stock exchange or automated quotation system upon which the Shares or other Company securities are listed or quoted, or compliance with any other obligation of the Company, as the Committee, may consider appropriate, and may require any Participant to make such representations, furnish such information and comply with or be subject to such other conditions as it may consider appropriate in connection with the issuance or delivery of Shares or payment of other benefits in compliance with applicable laws, rules, and regulations, listing requirements, or other obligations.
- (b) *Limits on Transferability; Beneficiaries.* No Award or other right or interest granted under the Plan shall be pledged, hypothecated or otherwise encumbered or subject to any lien, obligation or liability of such Participant to any party, or assigned or transferred by such Participant otherwise than by will or the laws of descent and distribution or to a Beneficiary upon the death of a Participant, and such Awards or rights that may be exercisable shall be exercised during the lifetime of the Participant only by the Participant or his or her guardian or legal representative, except that Awards and other rights (other than Incentive Stock Options and Stock Appreciation Rights in tandem therewith) may be transferred to one or more Beneficiaries or other transferees during the lifetime of the Participant, and may be exercised by such transferees in accordance with the terms of such Award, but only if and to the extent such transfers are permitted by the Committee pursuant to the express terms of an Award

Agreement (subject to any terms and conditions which the Committee may impose thereon). A Beneficiary, transferee, or other person claiming any rights under the Plan from or through any Participant shall be subject to all terms and conditions of the Plan and any Award Agreement applicable to such Participant, except as otherwise determined by the Committee, and to any additional terms and conditions deemed necessary or appropriate by the Committee.

#### (c) Adjustments.

- (i) *Adjustments to Awards*. In the event that any extraordinary dividend or other distribution (whether in the form of cash, Shares, or other property), recapitalization, forward or reverse split, reorganization, merger, consolidation, spin-off, combination, repurchase, share exchange, liquidation, dissolution or other similar corporate transaction or event affects the Shares and/or such other securities of the Company or any other issuer such that a substitution, exchange, or adjustment is determined by the Committee to be appropriate, then the Committee shall, in such manner as it may deem equitable, substitute, exchange or adjust any or all of (A) the number and kind of Shares which may be delivered in connection with Awards granted thereafter, (B) the number and kind of Shares by which annual per-person Award limitations are measured under Section 5 hereof, (C) the number and kind of Shares subject to or deliverable in respect of outstanding Awards, (D) the exercise price, grant price or purchase price relating to any Award and/or make provision for payment of cash or other property in respect of any outstanding Award, and (E) any other aspect of any Award that the Committee determines to be appropriate.
- (ii) Adjustments in Case of Certain Corporate Transactions. In the event of any merger, consolidation or other reorganization in which the Company does not survive, or in the event of any Change in Control, any outstanding Awards may be dealt with in accordance with any of the following approaches, as determined by the agreement effectuating the transaction or, if and to the extent not so determined, as determined by the Committee: (a) the continuation of the outstanding Awards by the Company, if the Company is a surviving corporation, (b) the assumption or substitution for, as those terms are defined in Section 9(b)(iv) hereof, the outstanding Awards by the surviving corporation or its parent or subsidiary, (c) full exercisability or vesting and accelerated expiration of the outstanding Awards, or (d) settlement of the value of the outstanding Awards in cash or cash equivalents or other property followed by cancellation of such Awards (which value, in the case of Options or Stock Appreciation Rights, shall be measured by the amount, if any, by which the Fair Market Value of a Share exceeds the exercise or grant price of the Option or Stock Appreciation Right as of the effective date of the transaction). The Committee shall give written notice of any proposed transaction referred to in this Section 10(c)(ii) a reasonable period of time prior to the closing date for such transaction within which to exercise any Awards that are then exercisable (including any Awards that may become exercisable upon the closing date of such transaction). A Participant may condition his exercise of any Awards upon the consummation of the transaction.

(iii) *Other Adjustments*. The Committee (and the Board if and only to the extent such authority is not required to be exercised by the Committee to comply with Section 162(m) of the Code) is authorized to make adjustments in the terms and conditions of,

and the criteria included in, Awards (including Performance Awards, or performance goals relating thereto) in recognition of unusual or nonrecurring events (including, without limitation, acquisitions and dispositions of businesses and assets) affecting the Company, any Related Entity or any business unit, or the financial statements of the Company or any Related Entity, or in response to changes in applicable laws, regulations, accounting principles, tax rates and regulations or business conditions or in view of the Committee's assessment of the business strategy of the Company, any Related Entity or business unit thereof, performance of comparable organizations, economic and business conditions, personal performance of a Participant, and any other circumstances deemed relevant, provided that no such adjustment shall be authorized or made if and to the extent that such authority or the making of such adjustment would cause Options, Stock Appreciation Rights, Performance Awards granted pursuant to Section 8(b) hereof to Participants designated by the Committee as Covered Employees and intended to qualify as "performance-based compensation" under Code Section 162(m) and the regulations thereunder to otherwise fail to qualify as "performance-based compensation" under Code Section 162(m) and regulations thereunder.

- (d) *Taxes.* The Company and any Related Entity are authorized to withhold from any Award granted, any payment relating to an Award under the Plan, including from a distribution of Shares, or any payroll or other payment to a Participant, amounts of withholding and other taxes due or potentially payable in connection with any transaction involving an Award, and to take such other action as the Committee may deem advisable to enable the Company or any Related Entity and Participants to satisfy obligations for the payment of withholding taxes and other tax obligations relating to any Award. This authority shall include authority to withhold or receive Shares or other property and to make cash payments in respect thereof in satisfaction of a Participant's tax obligations, either on a mandatory or elective basis in the discretion of the Committee.
- (e) Changes to the Plan and Awards. The Board may amend, alter, suspend, discontinue or terminate the Plan, or the Committee's authority to grant Awards under the Plan, without the consent of shareholders or Participants, except that any amendment or alteration to the Plan shall be subject to the approval of the Company's shareholders not later than the annual meeting next following such Board action if such shareholder approval is required by any federal or state law or regulation (including, without limitation, Rule 16b-3 or Code Section 162(m)) or the rules of any stock exchange or automated quotation system on which the Shares may then be listed or quoted, and the Board may otherwise, in its discretion, determine to submit other such changes to the Plan to shareholders for approval; provided that, without the consent of an affected Participant, no such Board action may materially and adversely affect the rights of such Participant under any previously granted and outstanding Award. The Committee may waive any conditions or rights under, or amend, alter, suspend, discontinue or terminate any Award theretofore granted and any Award Agreement relating thereto, except as otherwise provided in the Plan; provided that, without the consent of an affected Participant, no such Committee or the Board action may materially and adversely affect the rights of such Participant under such Award.
- (f) *Limitation on Rights Conferred Under Plan.* Neither the Plan nor any action taken hereunder or under any Award shall be construed as (i) giving any Eligible Person or Participant the right to continue as an Eligible Person or Participant or in the employ or

service of the Company or a Related Entity; (ii) interfering in any way with the right of the Company or a Related Entity to terminate any Eligible Person's or Participant's Continuous Service at any time, (iii) giving an Eligible Person or Participant any claim to be granted any Award under the Plan or to be treated uniformly with other Participants and Employees, or (iv) conferring on a Participant any of the rights of a shareholder of the Company including, without limitation, any right to receive dividends or distributions, any right to vote or act by written consent, any right to attend meetings of shareholders or any right to receive any information concerning the Company's business, financial condition, results of operation or prospects, unless and until such time as the Participant is duly issued Shares on the stock books of the Company in accordance with the terms of an Award. None of the Company, its officers or its directors shall have any fiduciary obligation to the Participant with respect to any Shares awarded pursuant to this Plan unless and until the Participant is duly issued Shares on the stock books of the Company in accordance with the terms of an Award. Neither the Company nor any of the Company's officers, directors, representatives or agents are granting any rights under the Plan to the Participant whatsoever, oral or written, express or implied, other than those rights expressly set forth in this Plan or the Award Agreement.

- (g) *Unfunded Status of Awards; Creation of Trusts.* The Plan is intended to constitute an "unfunded" plan for incentive and deferred compensation. With respect to any payments not yet made to a Participant or obligation to deliver Shares pursuant to an Award, nothing contained in the Plan or any Award shall give any such Participant any rights that are greater than those of a general creditor of the Company; provided that the Committee may authorize the creation of trusts and deposit therein cash, Shares, other Awards or other property, or make other arrangements to meet the Company's obligations under the Plan. Such trusts or other arrangements shall be consistent with the "unfunded" status of the Plan unless the Committee otherwise determines with the consent of each affected Participant. The trustee of such trusts may be authorized to dispose of trust assets and reinvest the proceeds in alternative investments, subject to such terms and conditions as the Committee may specify and in accordance with applicable law.
- (h) *Nonexclusivity of the Plan*. Neither the adoption of the Plan by the Board nor its submission to the shareholders of the Company for approval shall be construed as creating any limitations on the power of the Board or a committee thereof to adopt such other incentive arrangements as it may deem desirable including incentive arrangements and awards which do not qualify under Section 162(m) of the Code.
- (i) *Payments in the Event of Forfeitures; Fractional Shares.* Unless otherwise determined by the Committee, in the event of a forfeiture of an Award with respect to which a Participant paid cash or other consideration, the Participant shall be repaid the amount of such cash or other consideration. No fractional Shares shall be issued or delivered pursuant to the Plan or any Award. The Committee shall determine whether cash, other Awards or other property shall be issued or paid in lieu of such fractional shares or whether such fractional shares or any rights thereto shall be forfeited or otherwise eliminated.
- (j) *Governing Law.* The validity, construction and effect of the Plan, any rules and regulations under the Plan, and any Award Agreement shall be determined in accordance with the laws of the State of Delaware without giving effect to principles of conflict of laws, and applicable federal law.

- (k) *Non-U.S. Laws.* The Committee shall have the authority to adopt such modifications, procedures, and subplans as may be necessary or desirable to comply with provisions of the laws of foreign countries in which the Company or its Subsidiaries may operate to assure the viability of the benefits from Awards granted to Participants performing services in such countries and to meet the objectives of the Plan.
- (l) *Plan Effective Date and Shareholder Approval; Termination of Plan.* The Plan shall become effective on the Effective Date, which is the date the Plan was approved by shareholders of the Company eligible to vote in the election of directors, by a vote sufficient to meet the requirements of Code Sections 162(m) (if applicable) and 422, Rule 16b-3 under the Exchange Act (if applicable), applicable requirements under the rules of any stock exchange or automated quotation system on which the Shares may be listed or quoted, and other laws, regulations, and obligations of the Company applicable to the Plan. Awards may be granted subject to shareholder approval, but may not be exercised or otherwise settled in the event the shareholder approval is not obtained. The Plan shall terminate at the earliest of (a) such time as no Shares remain available for issuance under the Plan, (b) termination of this Plan by the Board, or (c) the tenth anniversary of the Effective Date. Awards outstanding upon expiration of the Plan shall remain in effect until they have been exercised or terminated, or have expired.

# CASUAL MALE RETAIL GROUP, INC. 2006 INCENTIVE COMPENSATION PLAN

# NON-QUALIFIED STOCK OPTION AGREEMENT

## **Agreement**

1. Grant of Option. CASUAL MALE RETAIL GROUP, INC., a Delaware corporation (the "Company"), hereby grants, as of("	'Date of Grant"), to
(the " <b>Optionee</b> ") an option (the " <b>Option</b> ") to purchase up to shares of the Company's common stock, \$.01 par value per	share (the
"Shares"), at an exercise price per share equal to \$ (the "Exercise Price"). The Option shall be subject to the terms and conditions set	forth herein. The
Option was issued pursuant to the Company's 2006 Incentive Compensation Plan (the "Plan"), which is incorporated herein for all purposes.	The Option is a
Non-Qualified Stock Option, and not an Incentive Stock Option. The Optionee hereby acknowledges receipt of a copy of the Plan and agrees	to be bound by all
of the terms and conditions hereof and thereof and all applicable laws and regulations.	

- 2. *Definitions.* Unless otherwise provided herein, terms used herein that are defined in the Plan and not defined herein shall have the meanings attributed thereto in the Plan.
- 3. *Exercise Schedule*. Except as otherwise provided in Sections 6 or 9 of this Agreement, or in the Plan, the Option is exercisable in installments as provided below, which shall be cumulative. To the extent that the Option has become exercisable with respect to a percentage of Shares as provided below, the Option may thereafter be exercised by the Optionee, in whole or in part, at any time or from time to time prior to the expiration of the Option as provided herein. The following table indicates each date (the "Vesting Date") upon which the Optionee shall be entitled to exercise the Option with respect to the percentage of Shares granted as indicated beside the date, provided that the Continuous Service of the Optionee continues through and on the applicable Vesting Date:

Vesting Date	Percentage of Shares Becoming Available for Exercise	Cumulative Percentage Available
First Anniversary of Date of Grant	33 1/3%	33 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>3</sub> %
Second Anniversary of Date of Grant	33 1/3%	66 <sup>2</sup> /3%
Third Anniversary of Date of Grant	33 <sup>1</sup> /3%	100%

Except as otherwise specifically provided herein, there shall be no proportionate or partial vesting in the periods prior to each Vesting Date, and all vesting shall occur only on the appropriate Vesting Date. Upon the termination of the Optionee's Continuous Service with the Company and its Related Entities, any unvested portion of the Option shall terminate and be null and void, except as may otherwise be determined by the Committee in writing in its sole discretion.

- 4. *Method of Exercise*. The vested portion of this Option shall be exercisable in whole or in part in accordance with the exercise schedule set forth in Section 3 hereof by written notice which shall state the election to exercise the Option, the number of Shares in respect of which the Option is being exercised, and such other representations and agreements as to the holder's investment intent with respect to such Shares as may be required by the Company pursuant to the provisions of the Plan. Such written notice shall be signed by the Optionee and shall be delivered in person or by certified mail to the Secretary of the Company. The written notice shall be accompanied by payment of the Exercise Price. This Option shall be deemed to be exercised after both (a) receipt by the Company of such written notice accompanied by the Exercise Price and (b) arrangements that are satisfactory to the Committee in its sole discretion have been made for Optionee's payment to the Company of the amount, if any, that is necessary to be withheld in accordance with applicable Federal or state withholding requirements. No Shares shall be issued pursuant to the Option unless and until such issuance and such exercise shall comply with all relevant provisions of applicable law, including the requirements of any stock exchange upon which the Shares then may be traded.
- 5. *Method of Payment*. Payment of the Exercise Price shall be by any of the following, or a combination thereof, at the election of the Optionee: (a) cash; (b) check; (c) to the extent permitted by the Committee, with Shares owned by the Optionee, or the withholding of Shares that otherwise would be delivered to the Optionee as a result of the exercise of the Option, (d) pursuant to a "cashless exercise" procedure, by delivery of a properly executed exercise notice together with such other documentation, and subject to such guidelines, as the Committee shall require to effect an exercise of the Option and delivery to the Company by a licensed broker acceptable to the Company of proceeds from the sale of Shares, or (e) such other consideration or in such other manner as may be determined by the Committee in its absolute discretion.

## 6. Termination of Option.

- (a) Any unexercised portion of the Option shall automatically and without notice terminate and become null and void at the time of the earliest to occur of the following:
- (i) unless the Committee otherwise determines in writing in its sole discretion, three months after the date on which the Optionee's Continuous Service is terminated other than by reason of (A) by the Company or a Related Entity for Cause, (B) a Disability of the Optionee as determined by a medical doctor satisfactory to the Committee, or (C) the death of the Optionee;
  - (ii) immediately upon the termination of the Optionee's Continuous Service by the Company or a Related Entity for Cause;
- (iii) twelve months after the date on which the Optionee's Continuous Service is terminated by reason of a Disability as determined by a medical doctor satisfactory to the Committee;
- (iv) (A) twelve months after the date of termination of the Optionee's Continuous Service by reason of the death of the Optionee, or, if later, (B) three months after the date on which the Optionee shall die if such death shall occur during the one year period specified in Section 6(a)(iii) hereof; or

- (v) the tenth anniversary of the date as of which the Option is granted.
- (b) To the extent not previously exercised, (i) the Option shall terminate immediately in the event of (A) the liquidation or dissolution of the Company, or (B) any reorganization, merger, consolidation or other form of corporate transaction in which the Company does not survive or the Shares are exchanged for or converted into securities issued by another entity, or an affiliate of such successor or acquiring entity, unless the successor or acquiring entity, or an affiliate thereof, assumes the Option or substitutes an equivalent option or right pursuant to Section 10(c) of the Plan, and (ii) the Committee in its sole discretion may by written notice ("cancellation notice") cancel, effective upon the consummation of any corporate transaction described in Section 9(b)(i) of the Plan, the Option (or portion thereof) that remains unexercised on such date. The Committee shall give written notice of any proposed transaction referred to in this Section 6(b) a reasonable period of time prior to the closing date for such transaction (which notice may be given either before or after approval of such transaction), in order that the Optionee may have a reasonable period of time prior to the closing date of such transaction within which to exercise the Option if and to the extent that it then is exercisable (including any portion of the Option that may become exercisable upon the closing date of such transaction). The Optionee may condition his exercise of the Option upon the consummation of a transaction referred to in this Section 6(b).
- 7. *Transferability.* Unless otherwise determined by the Committee, the Option granted hereby is not transferable otherwise than by will or under the applicable laws of descent and distribution, and during the lifetime of the Optionee the Option shall be exercisable only by the Optionee, or the Optionee's guardian or legal representative. In addition, the Option shall not be assigned, negotiated, pledged or hypothecated in any way (whether by operation of law or otherwise), and the Option shall not be subject to execution, attachment or similar process. Upon any attempt to transfer, assign, negotiate, pledge or hypothecate the Option, or in the event of any levy upon the Option by reason of any execution, attachment or similar process contrary to the provisions hereof, the Option shall immediately become null and void. The terms of this Option shall be binding upon the executors, administrators, heirs, successors and assigns of the Optionee.
- 8. *No Rights of Stockholders.* Neither the Optionee nor any personal representative (or beneficiary) shall be, or shall have any of the rights and privileges of, a stockholder of the Company with respect to any Shares purchasable or issuable upon the exercise of the Option, in whole or in part, prior to the date of exercise of the Option.

# 9. Acceleration of Exercisability of Option.

(a) This Option shall become immediately fully exercisable in the event that, prior to the termination of the Option pursuant to Section 6 hereof, and during the Optionee's Continuous Service, there is a "Change in Control," as defined in Section 9(b) of the Plan.

- (b) This Option shall become immediately fully exercisable in the event that, prior to the termination of the Option pursuant to Section 6 hereof, (i) the Option is terminated pursuant to Section 6(b)(i) hereof, or (ii) the Company exercises its discretion to provide a cancellation notice with respect to the Option pursuant to Section 6(b)(ii) hereof.
- 10. *No Right to Continued Employment.* Neither the Option nor this Agreement shall confer upon the Optionee any right to continued employment or service with the Company.
- 11. Law Governing. This Agreement shall be governed in accordance with and governed by the internal laws of the State of Delaware.
- 12. *Interpretation / Provisions of Plan Control.* This Agreement is subject to all the terms, conditions and provisions of the Plan, including, without limitation, the amendment provisions thereof, and to such rules, regulations and interpretations relating to the Plan adopted by the Committee as may be in effect from time to time. If and to the extent that this Agreement conflicts or is inconsistent with the terms, conditions and provisions of the Plan, the Plan shall control, and this Agreement shall be deemed to be modified accordingly. The Optionee accepts the Option subject to all of the terms and provisions of the Plan and this Agreement. The undersigned Optionee hereby accepts as binding, conclusive and final all decisions or interpretations of the Committee upon any questions arising under the Plan and this Agreement, unless shown to have been made in an arbitrary and capricious manner.
- 13. *Notices.* Any notice under this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be deemed to have been duly given when delivered personally or when deposited in the United States mail, registered, postage prepaid, and addressed, in the case of the Company, to the Company's Secretary at 555 Turnpike Street, Canton, MA 02021, or if the Company should move its principal office, to such principal office, and, in the case of the Optionee, to the Optionee's last permanent address as shown on the Company's records, subject to the right of either party to designate some other address at any time hereafter in a notice satisfying the requirements of this Section.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have executed this Agreement as of the day of, 200	
	COMPANY:
	CASUAL MALE RETAIL GROUP, INC., a Delaware corporation
	Ву:
	Name:
	Title:
The Optionee acknowledges receipt of a copy of the Plan and represents that he or she has in their entirety, is familiar with and understands their terms and provisions, and hereby accepts and the Option Agreement. The Optionee further represents that he or she has had an opportunity Agreement.	this Option subject to all of the terms and provisions of the Plan
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# CASUAL MALE RETAIL GROUP, INC. 2006 INCENTIVE COMPENSATION PLAN

# INCENTIVE STOCK OPTION AGREEMENT

#### **Agreement**

1. Grant of Option. CASUAL MALE RETAIL GROUP, INC., a Delaware corporation (the "Company") hereby grants, as of("Date of Gran	<b>it</b> "), to
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Option was issued pursuant to the Company's 2006 Incentive Compensation Plan (the "Plan"), which is incorporated herein for all purposes. The Option is	s an
Incentive Stock Option, and not a Non-Qualified Stock Option. The Optionee hereby acknowledges receipt of a copy of the Plan and agrees to be bound by the terms and conditions hereof and thereof and all applicable laws and regulations.	all of

- 2. *Definitions.* Unless otherwise provided herein, terms used herein that are defined in the Plan and not defined herein shall have the meanings attributed thereto in the Plan.
- 3. *Exercise Schedule*. Except as otherwise provided in Sections 6 or 9 of this Agreement, or in the Plan, the Option is exercisable in installments as provided below, which shall be cumulative. To the extent that the Option has become exercisable with respect to a percentage of Shares as provided below, the Option may thereafter be exercised by the Optionee, in whole or in part, at any time or from time to time prior to the expiration of the Option as provided herein. The following table indicates each date (the "Vesting Date") upon which the Optionee shall be entitled to exercise the Option with respect to the percentage of Shares granted as indicated beside the date, provided that the Continuous Service of the Optionee continues through and on the applicable Vesting Date:

Vesting Date	Percentage of Shares Becoming Available for Exercise	Cumulative Percentage Available
First Anniversary of Date of Grant	33 1/3%	33 <sup>1</sup> /3%
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Third Anniversary of Date of Grant	33 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>3</sub> %	100%

Except as otherwise specifically provided herein, there shall be no proportionate or partial vesting in the periods prior to each Vesting Date, and all vesting shall occur only on the appropriate Vesting Date. Upon the termination of the Optionee's Continuous Service with the Company and its Related Entities, any unvested portion of the Option shall terminate and be null and void.

- 4. *Method of Exercise*. The vested portion of this Option shall be exercisable in whole or in part in accordance with the exercise schedule set forth in Section 3 hereof by written notice which shall state the election to exercise the Option, the number of Shares in respect of which the Option is being exercised, and such other representations and agreements as to the holder's investment intent with respect to such Shares as may be required by the Company pursuant to the provisions of the Plan. Such written notice shall be signed by the Optionee and shall be delivered in person or by certified mail to the Secretary of the Company. The written notice shall be accompanied by payment of the Exercise Price. This Option shall be deemed to be exercised after both (a) receipt by the Company of such written notice accompanied by the Exercise Price and (b) arrangements that are satisfactory to the Committee in its sole discretion have been made for Optionee's payment to the Company of the amount, if any, that is necessary to be withheld in accordance with applicable Federal or state withholding requirements. No Shares shall be issued pursuant to the Option unless and until such issuance and such exercise shall comply with all relevant provisions of applicable law, including the requirements of any stock exchange upon which the Shares then may be traded.
- 5. *Method of Payment*. Payment of the Exercise Price shall be by any of the following, or a combination thereof, at the election of the Optionee: (a) cash; (b) check; (c) to the extent permitted by the Committee, with Shares owned by the Optionee, or the withholding of Shares that otherwise would be delivered to the Optionee as a result of the exercise of the Option, (d) pursuant to a "cashless exercise" procedure, by delivery of a properly executed exercise notice together with such other documentation, and subject to such guidelines, as the Committee shall require to effect an exercise of the Option and delivery to the Company by a licensed broker acceptable to the Company of proceeds from the sale of Shares, or (e) such other consideration or in such other manner as may be determined by the Committee in its absolute discretion.

# 6. Termination of Option.

- (a) Any unexercised portion of the Option shall automatically and without notice terminate and become null and void at the time of the earliest to occur of the following:
- (i) unless the Committee otherwise determines in writing in its sole discretion, three months after the date on which the Optionee's Continuous Service is terminated other than by reason of (A) by the Company or a Related Entity for Cause, (B) a Disability of the Optionee as determined by a medical doctor satisfactory to the Committee, or (C) the death of the Optionee;
  - (ii) immediately upon the termination of the Optionee's Continuous Service by the Company or a Related Entity for Cause;
- (iii) twelve months after the date on which the Optionee's Continuous Service is terminated by reason of a Disability as determined by a medical doctor satisfactory to the Committee;
- (iv) (A) twelve months after the date of termination of the Optionee's Continuous Service by reason of the death of the Optionee, or, if later, (B) three months after the date on which the Optionee shall die if such death shall occur during the one year period specified in Section 6(a)(iii) hereof; or

- (v) the tenth anniversary of the date as of which the Option is granted.
- (b) To the extent not previously exercised, (i) the Option shall terminate immediately in the event of (A) the liquidation or dissolution of the Company, or (B) any reorganization, merger, consolidation or other form of corporate transaction in which the Company does not survive or the Shares are exchanged for or converted into securities issued by another entity, or an affiliate of such successor or acquiring entity, unless the successor or acquiring entity, or an affiliate thereof, assumes the Option or substitutes an equivalent option or right pursuant to Section 10(c) of the Plan, and (ii) the Committee in its sole discretion may by written notice ("cancellation notice") cancel, effective upon the consummation of any corporate transaction described in Section 9(b)(i) of the Plan, the Option (or portion thereof) that remains unexercised on such date. The Committee shall give written notice of any proposed transaction referred to in this Section 6(b) a reasonable period of time prior to the closing date for such transaction (which notice may be given either before or after approval of such transaction), in order that the Optionee may have a reasonable period of time prior to the closing date of such transaction within which to exercise the Option if and to the extent that it then is exercisable (including any portion of the Option that may become exercisable upon the closing date of such transaction). The Optionee may condition his exercise of the Option upon the consummation of a transaction referred to in this Section 6(b).
- 7. *Transferability.* Unless otherwise determined by the Committee, the Option granted hereby is not transferable otherwise than by will or under the applicable laws of descent and distribution, and during the lifetime of the Optionee the Option shall be exercisable only by the Optionee, or the Optionee's guardian or legal representative. In addition, the Option shall not be assigned, negotiated, pledged or hypothecated in any way (whether by operation of law or otherwise), and the Option shall not be subject to execution, attachment or similar process. Upon any attempt to transfer, assign, negotiate, pledge or hypothecate the Option, or in the event of any levy upon the Option by reason of any execution, attachment or similar process contrary to the provisions hereof, the Option shall immediately become null and void. The terms of this Option shall be binding upon the executors, administrators, heirs, successors and assigns of the Optionee.
- 8. *No Rights of Stockholders.* Neither the Optionee nor any personal representative (or beneficiary) shall be, or shall have any of the rights and privileges of, a stockholder of the Company with respect to any Shares purchasable or issuable upon the exercise of the Option, in whole or in part, prior to the date of exercise of the Option.

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(a) This Option shall become immediately fully exercisable in the event that, prior to the termination of the Option pursuant to Section 6 hereof, and during the Optionee's Continuous Service, there is a "Change in Control", as defined in Section 9(b) of the Plan.

- (b) This Option shall become immediately fully exercisable in the event that, prior to the termination of the Option pursuant to Section 6 hereof, (i) the Option is terminated pursuant to Section 6(b)(i) hereof, or (ii) the Company exercises its discretion to provide a cancellation notice with respect to the Option pursuant to Section 6(b)(ii) hereof.
- 10. *No Right to Continued Employment.* Neither the Option nor this Agreement shall confer upon the Optionee any right to continued employment or service with the Company.
- 11. Law Governing. This Agreement shall be governed in accordance with and governed by the internal laws of the State of Delaware.
- 12. *Incentive Stock Option Treatment*. The terms of this Option shall be interpreted in a manner consistent with the intent of the Company and the Optionee that the Option qualify as an Incentive Stock Option under Section 422 of the Code. If any provision of the Plan or this Agreement shall be impermissible in order for the Option to qualify as an Incentive Stock Option, then the Option shall be construed and enforced as if such provision had never been included in the Plan or the Option. If and to the extent that the number of Options granted pursuant to this Agreement exceeds the limitations contained in Section 422 of the Code on the value of Shares with respect to which this Option may qualify as an Incentive Stock Option, this Option shall be a Non-Qualified Stock Option.
- 13. *Interpretation / Provisions of Plan Control.* This Agreement is subject to all the terms, conditions and provisions of the Plan, including, without limitation, the amendment provisions thereof, and to such rules, regulations and interpretations relating to the Plan adopted by the Committee as may be in effect from time to time. If and to the extent that this Agreement conflicts or is inconsistent with the terms, conditions and provisions of the Plan, the Plan shall control, and this Agreement shall be deemed to be modified accordingly. The Optionee accepts the Option subject to all of the terms and provisions of the Plan and this Agreement. The undersigned Optionee hereby accepts as binding, conclusive and final all decisions or interpretations of the Committee upon any questions arising under the Plan and this Agreement, unless shown to have been made in an arbitrary and capricious manner.
- 14. *Notices.* Any notice under this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be deemed to have been duly given when delivered personally or when deposited in the United States mail, registered, postage prepaid, and addressed, in the case of the Company, to the Company's Secretary at 555 Turnpike Street, Canton, MA 02021, or if the Company should move its principal office, to such principal office, and, in the case of the Optionee, to the Optionee's last permanent address as shown on the Company's records, subject to the right of either party to designate some other address at any time hereafter in a notice satisfying the requirements of this Section.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have executed this Agreement as of the	day of, 200
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	Ву:
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The Optionee acknowledges receipt of a copy of the Plan and represents that he or s in their entirety, is familiar with and understands their terms and provisions, and hereby ac and the Option Agreement. The Optionee further represents that he or she has had an oppo Agreement.	cepts this Option subject to all of the terms and provisions of the Plan
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# CASUAL MALE RETAIL GROUP, INC. 2006 INCENTIVE COMPENSATION PLAN

# NON-QUALIFIED STOCK OPTION AGREEMENT (For Non-Employee Directors)

# **Agreement**

1. Grant of Option. CASUAL MALE RETAIL GROUP, INC., a Delaware corporation (the "Company"), hereby grants, as of ("Date of	Grant"), to
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Second Anniversary of Date of Grant	33 1/3%	100%

Except as otherwise specifically provided herein, there shall be no proportionate or partial vesting in the periods prior to each Vesting Date, and all vesting shall occur only on the appropriate Vesting Date. Upon the termination of the Optionee's Continuous Service with the Company and its Related Entities, any unvested portion of the Option shall terminate and be null and void, except as may otherwise be determined by the Committee in writing in its sole discretion.

- 4. *Method of Exercise*. The vested portion of this Option shall be exercisable in whole or in part in accordance with the exercise schedule set forth in Section 3 hereof by written notice which shall state the election to exercise the Option, the number of Shares in respect of which the Option is being exercised, and such other representations and agreements as to the holder's investment intent with respect to such Shares as may be required by the Company pursuant to the provisions of the Plan. Such written notice shall be signed by the Optionee and shall be delivered in person or by certified mail to the Secretary of the Company. The written notice shall be accompanied by payment of the Exercise Price. This Option shall be deemed to be exercised after both (a) receipt by the Company of such written notice accompanied by the Exercise Price and (b) arrangements that are satisfactory to the Committee in its sole discretion have been made for Optionee's payment to the Company of the amount, if any, that is necessary to be withheld in accordance with applicable Federal or state withholding requirements. No Shares shall be issued pursuant to the Option unless and until such issuance and such exercise shall comply with all relevant provisions of applicable law, including the requirements of any stock exchange upon which the Shares then may be traded.
- 5. *Method of Payment.* Payment of the Exercise Price shall be by any of the following, or a combination thereof, at the election of the Optionee: (a) cash; (b) check; (c) to the extent permitted by the Committee, with Shares owned by the Optionee, or the withholding of Shares that otherwise would be delivered to the Optionee as a result of the exercise of the Option, (d) pursuant to a "cashless exercise" procedure, by delivery of a properly executed exercise notice together with such other documentation, and subject to such guidelines, as the Committee shall require to effect an exercise of the Option and delivery to the Company by a licensed broker acceptable to the Company of proceeds from the sale of Shares, or (e) such other consideration or in such other manner as may be determined by the Committee in its absolute discretion.

## 6. Termination of Option.

- (a) Any unexercised portion of the Option shall automatically and without notice terminate and become null and void at the time of the earliest to occur of the following:
- (i) unless the Committee otherwise determines in writing in its sole discretion, three months after the date on which the Optionee's Continuous Service is terminated other than by reason of (A) by the Company or a Related Entity for Cause, (B) a Disability of the Optionee as determined by a medical doctor satisfactory to the Committee, or (C) the death of the Optionee;
  - (ii) immediately upon the termination of the Optionee's Continuous Service by the Company or a Related Entity for Cause;
- (iii) twelve months after the date on which the Optionee's Continuous Service is terminated by reason of a Disability as determined by a medical doctor satisfactory to the Committee;
- (iv) (A) twelve months after the date of termination of the Optionee's Continuous Service by reason of the death of the Optionee, or, if later, (B) three months after the date on which the Optionee shall die if such death shall occur during the one year period specified in Section 6(a)(iii) hereof; or

- (v) the tenth anniversary of the date as of which the Option is granted.
- (b) To the extent not previously exercised, (i) the Option shall terminate immediately in the event of (A) the liquidation or dissolution of the Company, or (B) any reorganization, merger, consolidation or other form of corporate transaction in which the Company does not survive or the Shares are exchanged for or converted into securities issued by another entity, or an affiliate of such successor or acquiring entity, unless the successor or acquiring entity, or an affiliate thereof, assumes the Option or substitutes an equivalent option or right pursuant to Section 10(c) of the Plan, and (ii) the Committee in its sole discretion may by written notice ("cancellation notice") cancel, effective upon the consummation of any corporate transaction described in Section 9(b)(i) of the Plan, the Option (or portion thereof) that remains unexercised on such date. The Committee shall give written notice of any proposed transaction referred to in this Section 6(b) a reasonable period of time prior to the closing date for such transaction (which notice may be given either before or after approval of such transaction), in order that the Optionee may have a reasonable period of time prior to the closing date of such transaction within which to exercise the Option if and to the extent that it then is exercisable (including any portion of the Option that may become exercisable upon the closing date of such transaction). The Optionee may condition his exercise of the Option upon the consummation of a transaction referred to in this Section 6(b).
- 7. *Transferability.* Unless otherwise determined by the Committee, the Option granted hereby is not transferable otherwise than by will or under the applicable laws of descent and distribution, and during the lifetime of the Optionee the Option shall be exercisable only by the Optionee, or the Optionee's guardian or legal representative. In addition, the Option shall not be assigned, negotiated, pledged or hypothecated in any way (whether by operation of law or otherwise), and the Option shall not be subject to execution, attachment or similar process. Upon any attempt to transfer, assign, negotiate, pledge or hypothecate the Option, or in the event of any levy upon the Option by reason of any execution, attachment or similar process contrary to the provisions hereof, the Option shall immediately become null and void. The terms of this Option shall be binding upon the executors, administrators, heirs, successors and assigns of the Optionee.
- 8. *No Rights of Stockholders.* Neither the Optionee nor any personal representative (or beneficiary) shall be, or shall have any of the rights and privileges of, a stockholder of the Company with respect to any Shares purchasable or issuable upon the exercise of the Option, in whole or in part, prior to the date of exercise of the Option.

## 9. Acceleration of Exercisability of Option.

(a) This Option shall become immediately fully exercisable upon the termination of the Optionee's Continuous Service other than a termination by the Company or a Related Entity for Cause.

- (b) This Option shall become immediately fully exercisable in the event that, prior to the termination of the Option pursuant to Section 6 hereof, and during the Optionee's Continuous Service, there is a "Change in Control," as defined in Section 9(b) of the Plan.
- (c) This Option shall become immediately fully exercisable in the event that, prior to the termination of the Option pursuant to Section 6 hereof, (i) the Option is terminated pursuant to Section 6(b)(i) hereof, or (ii) the Company exercises its discretion to provide a cancellation notice with respect to the Option pursuant to Section 6(b)(ii) hereof.
- 10. *No Right to Continued Employment or Service with the Company.* Neither the Option nor this Agreement shall confer upon the Optionee any right to continued employment or service with the Company.
- 11. Law Governing. This Agreement shall be governed in accordance with and governed by the internal laws of the State of Delaware.
- 12. *Interpretation / Provisions of Plan Control*. This Agreement is subject to all the terms, conditions and provisions of the Plan, including, without limitation, the amendment provisions thereof, and to such rules, regulations and interpretations relating to the Plan adopted by the Committee as may be in effect from time to time. If and to the extent that this Agreement conflicts or is inconsistent with the terms, conditions and provisions of the Plan, the Plan shall control, and this Agreement shall be deemed to be modified accordingly. The Optionee accepts the Option subject to all of the terms and provisions of the Plan and this Agreement. The undersigned Optionee hereby accepts as binding, conclusive and final all decisions or interpretations of the Committee upon any questions arising under the Plan and this Agreement, unless shown to have been made in an arbitrary and capricious manner.
- 13. *Notices.* Any notice under this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be deemed to have been duly given when delivered personally or when deposited in the United States mail, registered, postage prepaid, and addressed, in the case of the Company, to the Company's Secretary at 555 Turnpike Street, Canton, MA 02021, or if the Company should move its principal office, to such principal office, and, in the case of the Optionee, to the Optionee's last permanent address as shown on the Company's records, subject to the right of either party to designate some other address at any time hereafter in a notice satisfying the requirements of this Section.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have executed this Agreement as of the day of, 200	
	COMPANY:
	CASUAL MALE RETAIL GROUP, INC., a Delaware corporation
	By:
	Name:
	Title:
The Optionee acknowledges receipt of a copy of the Plan and represents that he or she has in their entirety, is familiar with and understands their terms and provisions, and hereby accept and the Option Agreement. The Optionee further represents that he or she has had an opportuna Agreement.	s this Option subject to all of the terms and provisions of the Plan
Dated: OPTIO	ONEE:
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#### PREFERABILITY LETTER FROM INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

August 18, 2006

Mr. Dennis Hernreich Executive Vice President, Chief Operating Officer and Chief Financial Officer Casual Male Retail Group, Inc. 55 Turnpike Street Canton, Massachusetts 02021

Dear Mr. Hernreich:

Note 2 of the Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements of Casual Male Retail Group, Inc. included in its Form 10-Q for the quarter ended July 29, 2006 describes a change in the method of accounting for merchandise inventory from the FIFO retail inventory method to the weighted-average cost method. There are no authoritative criteria for determining a "preferable" method of determining the cost of merchandise inventory based on the particular circumstances; however, we conclude that such change in the method of accounting is to an acceptable alternative method which, based on your business judgment to make this change and for the stated reasons, is preferable in your circumstances. We have not conducted an audit in accordance with the standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States) of any financial statements of the Company as of any date or for any period subsequent to January 28, 2006, and therefore we do not express any opinion on any financial statements of Casual Male Retail Group, Inc. subsequent to that date.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Ernst & Young LLP Boston, Massachusetts

August 18, 2006

#### CERTIFICATION

### I, David A. Levin, certify that:

- 1. I have reviewed this quarterly report on Form 10-Q of Casual Male Retail Group, Inc.;
- 2. Based on my knowledge, this report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this report;
- 3. Based on my knowledge, the financial statements, and other financial information included in this report, fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, results of operations and cash flows of the registrant as of, and for, the periods presented in this report;
- 4. The registrant's other certifying officer(s) and I are responsible for establishing and maintaining disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e)) and internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f)) for the registrant and have:
  - a) Designed such disclosure controls and procedures, or caused such disclosure controls and procedures to be designed under our supervision, to ensure that material information relating to the registrant, including its consolidated subsidiaries, is made known to us by others within those entities, particularly during the period in which this report is being prepared;
  - b) Designed such internal control over financial reporting, or caused such internal control over financial reporting to be designed under our supervision, to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles;
  - c) Evaluated the effectiveness of the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures and presented in this report our conclusions about the effectiveness of the disclosure controls and procedures, as of the end of the period covered by this report based on such evaluation; and
  - d) Disclosed in this report any change in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the registrant's most recent fiscal quarter (the registrant's fourth fiscal quarter in the case of an annual report) that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting; and
- 5. The registrant's other certifying officer(s) and I have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting, to the registrant's auditors and the audit committee of the registrant's board of directors (or persons performing the equivalent functions):
  - a) All significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the registrant's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial information; and
  - b) Any fraud, whether or not material, that involves management or other employees who have a significant role in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

Date: August 18, 2006

/s/ DAVID A. LEVIN

David A. Levin
Chief Executive Officer

#### CERTIFICATION

#### I, Dennis R. Hernreich, certify that:

- 1. I have reviewed this quarterly report on Form 10-Q of Casual Male Retail Group, Inc.;
- 2. Based on my knowledge, this report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this report;
- 3. Based on my knowledge, the financial statements, and other financial information included in this report, fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, results of operations and cash flows of the registrant as of, and for, the periods presented in this report;
- 4. The registrant's other certifying officer(s) and I are responsible for establishing and maintaining disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e)) and internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f)) for the registrant and have:
  - a) Designed such disclosure controls and procedures, or caused such disclosure controls and procedures to be designed under our supervision, to ensure that material information relating to the registrant, including its consolidated subsidiaries, is made known to us by others within those entities, particularly during the period in which this report is being prepared;
  - b) Designed such internal control over financial reporting, or caused such internal control over financial reporting to be designed under our supervision, to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles;
  - c) Evaluated the effectiveness of the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures and presented in this report our conclusions about the effectiveness of the disclosure controls and procedures, as of the end of the period covered by this report based on such evaluation; and
  - d) Disclosed in this report any change in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the registrant's most recent fiscal quarter (the registrant's fourth fiscal quarter in the case of an annual report) that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting; and
- 5. The registrant's other certifying officer(s) and I have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting, to the registrant's auditors and the audit committee of the registrant's board of directors (or persons performing the equivalent functions):
  - a) All significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the registrant's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial information; and
  - b) Any fraud, whether or not material, that involves management or other employees who have a significant role in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

Date: August 18, 2006

/s/ DENNIS R. HERNREICH

Dennis R. Hernreich Chief Financial Officer

# CERTIFICATION PURSUANT TO 18 U.S.C. SECTION 1350, AS ADOPTED PURSUANT TO SECTION 906 OF THE SARBANES-OXLEY ACT OF 2002

In connection with the Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q of Casual Male Retail Group, Inc. (the "Company") for the period ended July 29, 2006, as filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on the date hereof (the "Report"), I, David A. Levin, Chief Executive Officer of the Company, certify pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 1350, as adopted pursuant to § 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, that:

- (1) The Report fully complies with the requirements of section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"); and
- (2) The information contained in the Report fairly presents, in all material respects, the financial condition and results of operations of the Company.

This certification is being furnished as an exhibit to the Report pursuant to 18 U.S.C. Section 1350, as adopted pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, and shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Exchange Act, or otherwise subject to the liability of that section. This certification will not be deemed to be incorporated by reference into any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, regardless of any general incorporation language in such filing, except to the extent that the Company specifically incorporates this certification by reference.

Dated: August 18, 2006

/s/ DAVID A. LEVIN

David A. Levin Chief Executive Officer

A signed original of this written statement required by Section 906, or other document authenticating, acknowledging, or otherwise adopting the signature that appears in typed form within the electronic version of this written statement required by Section 906, has been provided to the Company and will be retained by the Company and furnished to the Securities and Exchange Commission or its staff upon request.

# CERTIFICATION PURSUANT TO 18 U.S.C. SECTION 1350, AS ADOPTED PURSUANT TO SECTION 906 OF THE SARBANES-OXLEY ACT OF 2002

In connection with the Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q of Casual Male Retail Group, Inc. (the "Company") for the period ended July 29, 2006, as filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on the date hereof (the "Report"), I, Dennis R. Hernreich, Chief Financial Officer of the Company, certify pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 1350, as adopted pursuant to § 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, that:

- (1) The Report fully complies with the requirements of section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"); and
- (2) The information contained in the Report fairly presents, in all material respects, the financial condition and results of operations of the Company.

This certification is being furnished as an exhibit to the Report pursuant to 18 U.S.C. Section 1350, as adopted pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, and shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Exchange Act, or otherwise subject to the liability of that section. This certification will not be deemed to be incorporated by reference into any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, regardless of any general incorporation language in such filing, except to the extent that the Company specifically incorporates this certification by reference.

Dated: August 18, 2006

/s/ DENNIS R. HERNREICH

Dennis R. Hernreich Chief Financial Officer

A signed original of this written statement required by Section 906, or other document authenticating, acknowledging, or otherwise adopting the signature that appears in typed form within the electronic version of this written statement required by Section 906, has been provided to the Company and will be retained by the Company and furnished to the Securities and Exchange Commission or its staff upon request.