#### **ROSS STORES INC**

Form 4 May 30, 2007

### FORM 4

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

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

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading CALL JOHN G Issuer Symbol ROSS STORES INC [ROST] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title \_ Other (specify 4440 ROSEWOOD DR. 05/25/2007 below) Senior VP CFO (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

#### PLEASANTON, CA 94588

(City)	(State) (Z	ip) Table	I - Non-De	rivative Se	curiti	es Acquir	ed, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired ior(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of 6. Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Owned Direct (D) Following or Indirect Reported (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
COMMON STOCK	05/25/2007		M	20,000	A	\$ 10.5	68,619	D	
COMMON STOCK	05/25/2007		S	1,600	D	\$ 32.21	67,019	D	
COMMON STOCK	05/25/2007		S	100	D	\$ 32.23	66,919	D	
COMMON STOCK	05/25/2007		S	200	D	\$ 32.22	66,719	D	
COMMON STOCK	05/25/2007		S	200	D	\$ 32.28	66,519	D	

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COMMON STOCK	05/25/2007	S	900	D	\$ 32.27	65,619	D
COMMON STOCK	05/25/2007	S	1,100	D	\$ 32.26	64,519	D
COMMON STOCK	05/25/2007	S	1,300	D	\$ 32.25	63,219	D
COMMON STOCK	05/25/2007	S	800	D	\$ 32.24	62,419	D
COMMON STOCK	05/25/2007	S	200	D	\$ 32.36	62,219	D
COMMON STOCK	05/25/2007	S	700	D	\$ 32.34	61,519	D
COMMON STOCK	05/25/2007	S	500	D	\$ 32.35	61,019	D
COMMON STOCK	05/25/2007	S	300	D	\$ 32.37	60,719	D
COMMON STOCK	05/25/2007	S	500	D	\$ 32.33	60,219	D
COMMON STOCK	05/25/2007	S	2,000	D	\$ 32.32	58,219	D
COMMON STOCK	05/25/2007	S	1,500	D	\$ 32.31	56,719	D
COMMON STOCK	05/25/2007	S	600	D	\$ 32.39	56,119	D
COMMON STOCK	05/25/2007	S	200	D	\$ 32.4	55,919	D
COMMON STOCK	05/25/2007	S	400	D	\$ 32.47	55,519	D
COMMON STOCK	05/25/2007	S	300	D	\$ 32.49	55,219	D

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number of	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and A
Security	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	onDerivative	Expiration Date	Underlying S
(Instr. 3)	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and
	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A)		

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Derivative or Disposed of Security (D)

(D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)

Code V (A) (D) Date Expiration Title

Exercisable Date

**NON-QUALIFIED** 

STOCK OPTIONS \$ 10.5 05/25/2007 M 20,000 (1) 03/19/2008 COMMON STOCK

(right to buy)

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

CALL JOHN G

4440 ROSEWOOD DR. Senior VP CFO

PLEASANTON, CA 94588

## **Signatures**

/s/John Call Senior Vice President Chief Financial Officer and Corporate

Secretary 05/29/2007

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- Option is exercisable as it vests in monthly increments beginning the first full month from date of grant with a vested ratio of 1/72 for the first year, 2/72 for the second year and 3/72 for the third year.

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