BIG LOTS INC Form 4 March 15, 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**

Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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(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 HAUBIEL CHARLES W II Issuer Symbol **BIG LOTS INC [BIG]** (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify 300 PHILLIPI ROAD 03/13/2007 below) SVP, General Counsel & Sec'y (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 COLUMBUS, OH 43228 Person

(City)	(State)	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	ecurities Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(D) Price	(msu. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	03/13/2007		A	12,500	A \$0	35,167	D	

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				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Purchase Option	\$ 28.73	03/13/2007		A	37,500	<u>(1)</u>	03/13/2014	Common Stock	37,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

HAUBIEL CHARLES W II 300 PHILLIPI ROAD COLUMBUS, OH 43228

SVP, General Counsel & Sec'y

Signatures

Chadwick P. Reynolds, attorney in fact for Charles W.

Haubiel II 03/15/2007

**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).
- (1) This stock purchase option vests in four equal annual installments beginning on March 13, 2008.

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