## FORM 4

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

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6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable

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Line)

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Person

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obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).	Filed	pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940			hours per respo	nse:	0.5	
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ELFERS JANE T		2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Childrens Place, Inc. [ PLCE ]		tionship of R all applicabl	eporting Persor e)	ı(s) to Issuer		
<u></u>				Director Officer (giv	re title	10% Owner Other (spec	-	
(Last) (First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	] ×	below)		below)	,	

4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)

02/07/2017

(Street)		
SEACAUCUS	NJ	07094
(City)	(State)	(Zip)

C/O THE CHILDREN'S PLACE, INC.,

**500 PLAZA DRIVE** 

## Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transa Code ( 8)					Securities Beneficially	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1130.4)		
Common Stock, par value \$0.10 per share	02/07/2017		A		41,047(1)	Α	\$ <mark>0</mark>	154,449	D			

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

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transa Code ( 8)				Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) ired . 3, 4			and nt of ties lying tive ty (Instr. 3	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

## Explanation of Responses:

1. Represents shares of Common Stock, par value \$0.10 per share, of The Children's Place, Inc. (the "Company"), underlying time restricted stock units granted under the Company's 2011 Equity Incentive Plan (the "Plan") on February 7, 2017, one-third of which are deliverable to Ms. Elfers on each of the first, second and third anniversaries of the date of grant provided Ms. Elfers is employed by the Company on the respective vesting dates, and further subject to the terms and conditions of the Plan.

<u>/s/ James E. Myers, as</u>	
Attorney-in Fact for Jan	e T
<u>Elfers</u>	

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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

 $^{\ast}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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