FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* ROSE MARK						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CHILDRENS PLACE RETAIL STORES INC [PLCE]								eck all appli Direct	cable)	10% Owner give title Other (specify		ner
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O THE CHILDREN'S PLACE RETAIL STORES, INC. 500 PLAZA DRIVE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/11/2011								below		oply C	below) Shain Offic	ce
(Street) SECAUCUS NJ 07094					4.1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								e) X Form t	Form filed by More than One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(S		(Zip)															
Table I - Non-Deriva 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transact Date (Month/Day				action	2/ Ex	A. Dee kecuti any		3. Transac	ction	4. Securities Acquired (A) o Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4		l (A) or	5. Amou Securiti Benefic	int of es ially Following	Form (D) or	: Direct · Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)			instr. 4)
Common Stock, par value \$0.10 per share 12/05/2						003			М		15,000	A	\$25.62	5 20	,780		D	
Common Stock, par value \$0.10 per share 03/11/2						011			S		15,000	D	\$47.12	(1) 5,	,780		D	
		-	Table II -								osed of, convertil			Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da	Date, Trans Code			of		6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		te	of Securities		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti (Instr. 4)	e s lly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		ı			
Stock Option	\$25.625	03/11/2011			M			15,000	(2)		12/04/2013	Common	15,000	\$0	0		D	

Explanation of Responses:

buy)

- 1. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$47.00 to \$47.26, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to The Children's Place Retail Stores, Inc. (the "Company"), any security holder of the Company, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in this footnote.
- 2. The options vested in five equal installments on September 18, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007 and 2008.

/s/ James E. Myers, as Attorney-In-Fact for Mark

03/15/2011

Rose

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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