FORM 3

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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CHILDRENS PLACE RETAIL			Date of Event equiring Staten Month/Day/Year 6/28/2004	nent	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CHILDRENS PLACE RETAIL STORES INC [ PLCE ]						
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	-			Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     X Director 10% Owner			5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		
915 SECAUCUS ROAD						Officer (give title below)	Other (spe below)	App	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person		
(Street) SECAUCUS	NJ	07094							-	y More than One	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)									
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned											
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)						cially Owned (Instr. 4)			4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)		
Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)											
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)  2. Date Exercisable Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			ate	3. Title and Amount of Secu Underlying Derivative Secu			4. Conversion or Exercise	Form:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)		
			Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	n Title	e	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		

**Explanation of Responses:** 

Remarks:

No securities are beneficially owned.

Robert Fisch

06/30/2004

\*\* 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 5 (b)(v).
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