FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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|  |  | on <sup>*</sup> |            |         |                        |                          |           | Symbol      |               |                       |   | g Person(s) to Is               | ssuer   |  |  |  |  |  |
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| CLINARD JC   | <u>JHN W</u>   |                 |            | OLI     | VEDGO IIVO             | լ ԱСО                    | 1         |             |               | l                     | Director Officer (give title                  |                                 |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| (Last) (First) (Middle)  |  |                 |            |         |                        | action (N                | /lonth/   | Day/Year)   | -             | below)                | below   | )`                              |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) GENESCO INC.  1415 MURFREESBORO ROAD  4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) (Street) NASHVILLE TN 37217  Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned  1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year)  2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year)  2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year)  3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)  4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)  5. Amount of Date (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year)  6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Application)  Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting Person  Transaction Code (Instr. 3)  6. Ownership (A) or Beneficially Owned  7. Amount (A) or Price (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)  8. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)  8. Ownership (Instr. 4)  8. Ownership (Instr. 4)  8. Ownership (Instr. 4)  8. Ownership (Instr. 3)  8. Amount (Instr. 4)  8. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)  8. Ownership (Instr. 4)  8. Ownership (Instr. |  |                 |            |         |                        | irces                    |           |             |               |                       |   |                                 |   |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  | Ta   | able I - No     | n-Derivati | ive S   | Securities Acq         | uired                    | , Dis     | posed of,   | or Ber        | eficially             | Owned   |                                 |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| Date   |  |                 | Date       |         | Execution Date, if any | Transaction Code (Instr. |           |             |               |                       | Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned Following | Form: Direct<br>(D) or Indirect | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |                 |            |         |                        | Code                     | v         | Amount      | (A) or<br>(D) | Price                 | Transaction(s)                                |                                 | (111341. 4)   |  |  |  |  |  |
| Common Stock   |  |                 | 11/24/20   | 004     |                        | M                        |           | 1,250       | A             | \$12.75               | 1,750   | D                               |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| Common Stock   |  |                 | 11/24/20   | 004     |                        | M                        |           | 3,500       | A             | \$6.06                | 5,250   | D                               |   |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Street) NASHVILLE TN 37217  (City) (State) (Zip)  Table I - No  Title of Security (Instr. 3) |                 |            |         |                        |                          |           |             |               |                       |   |                                 |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| Common Stock   |  |                 | 11/24/20   | 004     |                        | M                        |           | 5,250       | A             | \$13.19               | 10,500  | D                               |   |  |  |  |  |  |

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

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| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) Price of Derivative Security |         | 3. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transaction<br>Code (Instr.<br>8) |   | 5. Number<br>of<br>Derivative<br>Securities<br>Acquired<br>(A) or<br>Disposed<br>of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4<br>and 5) |       | 6. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |                    | 7. Title and<br>Amount of<br>Securities<br>Underlying<br>Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |  | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Number of<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 4) | 10.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|   |         |  |   | Code                                    | v | (A)   | (D)   | Date<br>Exercisable  | Expiration<br>Date | Title  | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares |   |  |  |  |
| Stock<br>Options<br>(right to<br>buy)                                   | \$12.75 | 11/24/2004                                 |   | M                                       |   |   | 1,250 | 10/28/1998   | 10/28/2007         | Common<br>Stock  | 1,250                                  | \$12.75   | 0  | D  |  |
| Stock<br>Options<br>(right to<br>buy)                                   | \$6.06  | 11/24/2004                                 |   | М                                       |   |   | 3,500 | 08/25/1999   | 08/25/2008         | Common<br>Stock  | 3,500                                  | \$6.06  | 0  | D  |  |
| Stock<br>Options<br>(right to<br>buy)                                   | \$13.19 | 11/24/2004                                 |   | M                                       |   |   | 5,250 | 11/04/2000   | 11/04/2009         | Common<br>Stock  | 5,250                                  | \$13.19   | 0  | D  |  |
| Stock<br>Options<br>(right to<br>buy)                                   | \$16.63 | 11/24/2004                                 |   | M                                       |   |   | 8,000 | 10/16/2001   | 10/16/2010         | Common<br>Stock  | 8,000                                  | \$16.63   | 0  | D  |  |

**Explanation of Responses:** 

Remarks:

Common Stock

John W. Clinard

11/29/2004

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

11/24/2004

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