

CAPLAN JONATHAN D
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 CAPLAN JONATHAN D

(Last) (First) (Middle)

GENESCO INC., 1415
 MURFREESBORO ROAD

(Street)

NASHVILLE, TN 37217

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 GENESCO INC [GCO]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 03/21/2012

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 Sr Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (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)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock	03/21/2012		S	20,000	D \$ 74	52,637	D
Common Stock	03/23/2012		M	23,864	A \$ 16.76	76,501	D
Common Stock	03/23/2012		M	5,714	A \$ 17.5	82,215	D
Common Stock	03/23/2012		M	4,016	A \$ 24.9	86,231	D
Common Stock	03/23/2012		M	963	A \$ 36.4	87,194	D

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Common Stock 03/23/2012 M 2,233 A \$ 38.14 89,427 D

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

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 16.76	03/23/2012		M	23,864	11/13/2006 11/13/2012	Common Stock 23,864
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 17.5	03/23/2012		M	5,714	10/21/2007 10/21/2013	Common Stock 5,714
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 24.9	03/23/2012		M	4,016	10/26/2008 10/26/2014	Common Stock 4,016
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 36.4	03/23/2012		M	963	10/25/2009 10/25/2015	Common Stock 963
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 38.14	03/23/2012		M	2,233	10/24/2010 10/24/2016	Common Stock 2,233

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

CAPLAN JONATHAN D
GENESCO INC.
1415 MURFREESBORO ROAD
NASHVILLE, TN 37217

Sr Vice President

Signatures

Jonathan D.
Caplan

03/23/2012

__Signature of
Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

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

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