

SIFFORD CLIFTON E

Form 4

September 19, 2011

FORM 4
UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
SIFFORD CLIFTON E

(Last) (First) (Middle)

7500 E. COLUMBIA STREET

(Street)

EVANSVILLE, IN 47715

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
SHOE CARNIVAL INC [SCVL]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
09/15/2011

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
__X__ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)
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6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
__X__ Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Person

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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	09/15/2011		M		6,800	A \$ 17.12	74,906	D	
Common Stock	09/15/2011		S		6,800	D \$ 24.14	68,106	D	
Common Stock	09/16/2011		M		4,200	A \$ 17.12	72,306	D	
Common Stock	09/16/2011		S		4,200	D \$ 24.25	68,106	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
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.12	09/15/2011		M	6,800	<u>(1)</u> 04/03/2012 <u>(2)</u>	Common Stock 6,800
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.12	09/16/2011		M	4,200	<u>(1)</u> 04/03/2012 <u>(2)</u>	Common Stock 4,200

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
SIFFORD CLIFTON E 7500 E. COLUMBIA STREET EVANSVILLE, IN 47715	EVP - GENERAL MERCHANDISE MGR

Signatures

By: W. Kerry Jackson For: Clifton E.
Sifford

09/19/2011

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) The option becomes exercisable in thirds, commencing one year after the date of grant.
- (2) These options were set to expire just under seven months from date of exercise.

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