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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* WILLIAMSON WILLIAM A JR					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GENESCO INC [GCO]											licable)		Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner		
(Last) (First) (Middle) GENESCO INC.						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/22/2005										Office below	er (give title v)		Other (specify below)	
1415 MURFREESBORO ROAD					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
(Street) NASHVI	LLE T	N 3	37217												X	,				
(City)	(St	ate) (Zip)																	
		Tabl	e I - Noi	n-Deriv	ative	Sec	curitie	s Acc	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or	Bene	eficia	ally	Owne	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						Execution		Date,	Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5)		ities Acquired (A) d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			4 and S		Securities Beneficially		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
							v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(1130.4)			
Common Stock 06.					06/22/2005				A		1,265((1) A \$0		\$ <mark>0</mark> .	74,111		4,111	D		
	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)	erivative Conversion Date Execution Date, or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any				4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Num of Derive Secur Acqui (A) or Dispo of (D) (Instr. and 5	ative rities ired osed	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)					9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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Explanation of Responses:

1. Grant of restricted stock under 1996 Stock Incentive Plan.

Remarks:

William A. Williamson, Jr. 06/22/2005

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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