FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     GULMI JAMES S						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GENESCO INC [ GCO ]								neck all appli Direct	r 10%		on(s) to Iss 10% Ov Other (s	vner
(Last) (First) (Middle) GENESCO INC. 1415 MURFREESBORO ROAD						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/23/2009								X Officer (give title Officer (specify below) Sr VP-Finance/Chief Fin Off				
(Street)  NASHVILLE TN 37217  (City) (State) (Zip)					_   4. I	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								ndividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
		Tab	le I - Noi	n-Deriv	vativ	e Se	curities	s Ac	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or Be	neficia	ly Owned	i			
Dat							2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year		Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)					6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(Instr. 4)
Common Stock 10/23						2009			М		12,00	0 A	\$13.	19 170	176,856		D	
Common Stock 10/24						2009			F		617(1)	) D	\$28.0	)5 170	176,239		D	
Common Stock 10/25.					5/200	/2009					528 <sup>(1)</sup>	) D	\$28.0	05 17	5,711		D	
		7	Гable II -									or Ben ble secu		Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution I if any (Month/Day	Date,	4. Transa Code ( 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Expiration (Month/Da	n Date	of Securities		ies g Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transactic (Instr. 4)	e S Illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisal		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Sstock Options (right to	\$13.19	10/23/2009			M		12,000		11/04/200	03 1	11/04/2009	Common Stock	12,000	\$13.19	0		D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Shares withheld to satisfy minimum tax withholding liability upon the vesting of restricted stock granted under the 2005 Equity Incentive Plan.

## Remarks:

James S. Gulmi

10/26/2009

\*\* 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 4 (b)(v).
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