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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* SISSON ROGER G (Last) (First) (Middle) GENESCO INC. 1415 MURFREESBORO ROAD (Street) NASHVILLE TN 37217						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GENESCO INC [GCO] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/24/2008 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									S. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Sr VP, Secretary & Gen Counsel 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting					
(City)	(S	tate) (Zip)													Pers	on			
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D				Execution Date,		Transaction Disposed Of Code (Instr. 5)			ies Acquired (A) or Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 an					ities cially d Following	6. Ownersh Form: Direc (D) or Indire (I) (Instr. 4)	of Indirect ct Beneficial Ownership				
								Code	v	Amount	ount (A) or (D)		Price	Trans		action(s) 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock 10/2					/2008	2008			F		368(1)		D	\$21	.61	27,012		D		
Common Stock 10/25/					/2008	2008		F		344(1)		D	\$21	21.61		6,668	D			
Common Stock 10/25/					/2008				F		1,995(1	l)	D	\$21	61 24,0		4,673	D		
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	ivative curity Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security Date (Month/Day/Year) Date (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) Security Securit		Transa Code (6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date Date Expiration Expiration Date			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amoun or Numbe of Title Shares		ount	int per		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Owners Form: Direct (I or Indire (I) (Insti	Beneficial Ownership ct (Instr. 4)				

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:

<u>Roger G. Sisson</u> <u>10/28/2008</u>

** 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).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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