FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     CLINARD JOHN W						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GENESCO INC [ GCO ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner  Officer (give title Other (specify				ner
(Last) (First) (Middle) GENESCO INC. 1415 MURFREESBORO ROAD					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/04/2006								X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Sr VP-Admin & Human Resources					
(Street) NASHVILLE TN 37217 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. 1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								i. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ine)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
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									Code	v	Amount	(A) o (D)	r Price	Reporte Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)			Instr. 4)
Common Stock 12/04/					04/200	2006		М		15,000	0 A	\$17.	5 29	,611		D		
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Stock Option (right to	\$17.5	12/04/2006			M			15,000	10/21/200	06 1	0/21/2013	Common Stock	15,000	\$17.5	0		D	

**Explanation of Responses:** 

Remarks:

<u>John W. Clinard</u>

12/05/2006

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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