KIRKLAND'S, INC Form 4

### June 20, 2014 FORM 4

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

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

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1(b).

(Last)

(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Graul Michelle Symbol

(Middle)

(Zip)

KIRKLAND'S, INC [KIRK]

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

C/O KIRKLAND'S, INC., 2501 06/12/2014 MCGAVOCK PIKE, SUITE 1000

(Street)

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below) below) Sr. VP-Store Operations and HR

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

D

Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

NASHVILLE, TN 37214

(First)

(State)

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities 5. Amount of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (Month/Day/Year) Owned

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

or Code V Amount (D) Price

(A)

Common 06/12/2014 Stock

7,000 A A \$0 58,560 (1)

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)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 18.46	06/12/2014		A	17,500	(2)	06/12/2024	Common Stock	17,500	

## **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address Other

Officer

Director 10% Owner

Graul Michelle C/O KIRKLAND'S, INC. 2501 MCGAVOCK PIKE, SUITE 1000 NASHVILLE, TN 37214

Sr. VP-Store Operations and HR

### **Signatures**

/s/ Adam Holland, Attorney In Fact for Michelle 06/20/2014 Graul

> \*\*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).
- The reporting person was granted 7,000 restricted stock units ("RSUs") under Kirkland's 2002 Equity Incentive Plan. The RSU's will vest **(1)** 100% on June 12, 2017.
- These options will become exercisable as to 25% of such shares on June 12, 2015 and thereafter will become exercisable as to 6.25% per quarter for the next three years.

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