WAITE BRAD A

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### FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * WAITE BRAD A  (Last) (First) (Middle)  300 PHILLIPI ROAD			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BIG LOTS INC [BLI] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/02/2006						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below)  Executive Vice President			
COLUMBU	JS, OH 43228								Person	Tore than One Re	porting	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - Non-	De	rivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	y Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	(Month/Day/Year) Execution any		n Date, if Transaction Code Day/Year) (Instr. 8)			4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)  (A) or			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)  7. Nature of Indirect Indirect (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	06/02/2006			Code V		Amount 8,072	(D)	Price \$ 16.14	0	I	By 401(k) Plan	
Common									51,834	D		

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)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number of	6. Date Exer	cisable and	7. Title and A	Amount of	8. Pr
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	orDerivative	Expiration Date		Underlying Securities		Deri
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)		Secu
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A)					(Inst
	Derivative				or Disposed of					
	Security				(D)					
					(Instr. 3, 4,					
					and 5)					
						_			Amount	
						Date	Expiration	Title	or	
						Exercisable	Date	11110	Number	
				Code V	(A) (D)				of Shares	
Phantom Stock (1)	<u>(2)</u>	06/02/2006		I	16,424	(3)	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	16,424	\$ 1
Stock								Stock		

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

WAITE BRAD A 300 PHILLIPI ROAD COLUMBUS, OH 43228

**Executive Vice President** 

### **Signatures**

Charles W. Haubiel II, attorney in fact for Brad A. Waite

06/06/2006

\*\*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).
- (1) Phantom stock held under the Big Lots Supplemental Savings Plan.
- (2) One-for-one.
- (3) Immediately.
- (4) Not applicable.

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