THORN BRUCE K

Form 4

December 17, 2018

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Last)

1. Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * THORN BRUCE K

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

BIG LOTS INC [BIG]

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

_X__ Director

10% Owner Other (specify

4900 E DUBLIN GRANVILLE RD

(Street)

(First)

(Month/Day/Year) 12/14/2018

X_ Officer (give title below) CEO & President

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

Code

P

(Instr. 8)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

COLUMBUS, OH 43081-7651

(City) (State) (Zip)

(Month/Day/Year)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 3. 4. Securities Acquired

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D)

5. Amount of Securities

Owned

7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Beneficial

Beneficially

Form: Direct (D) or Ownership (Instr. 4)

Indirect (I) Following Reported

(Instr. 4)

(A)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

\$

D 8.500

Common 12/14/2018 Stock

29.457 8.500 Α (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. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)			7. Title a Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 a	of ng s	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	or Title Nu of	umber		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
roporous o march radicolo	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
THORN BRUCE K							
4900 E DUBLIN GRANVILLE RD	X		CEO & President				
COLUMBUS, OH 43081-7651							

Signatures

Joseph Y. Heuer, Attorney-in-fact for Bruce K.
Thorn

12/17/2018

**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 value represents the weighted average sale price for the transactions reported on the corresponding line. The actual sales prices for the transactions reported on the corresponding line ranged from \$29.36 to \$29.60. The reporting person undertakes to provide (upon request by the SEC, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer) full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.

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