#### TISHKOFF DENNIS B

Form 4

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## FORM 4

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

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * TISHKOFF DENNIS B			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BIG LOTS INC [BIG]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an applicable)		
300 PHILLIPI	ROAD		(Month/Day/Year) 03/08/2010	X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
COLUMBUS,	OH 43228		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned							
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit on(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	sposed	of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	03/08/2010		M	4,000	A	\$ 11.79	12,220	D	
Common Stock	03/08/2010		M	10,000	A	\$ 19.25	22,220	D	
Common Stock	03/08/2010		M	6,000	A	\$ 28.22	28,220	D	
Common Stock	03/08/2010		S	20,000	D	\$ 36.12 (1)	8,220	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 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or Derivative 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	Amoun or Numbe of Shar
Stock Purchase Option	\$ 11.79	03/08/2010		M	4,000	09/09/2008(2)	10/09/2015	Common Stock	4,000
Stock Purchase Option	\$ 19.25	03/08/2010		M	10,000	09/11/2009(2)	10/11/2016	Common Stock	10,00
Stock Purchase Option	\$ 28.22	03/08/2010		M	6,000	09/10/2008(3)	10/10/2017	Common Stock	6,000

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
r g	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
TISHKOFF DENNIS B							
300 PHILLIPI ROAD	X						
COLUMBUS, OH 43228							

# **Signatures**

Joseph Y. Heuer, attorney in fact for Dennis B.

Tishkoff

03/09/2010

\*\*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) 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 \$36.10 to \$36.14. 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

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price.

- (2) The date upon which the Stock Purchase Option became fully exercisable.
- (3) The date of the first of three annual vesting dates upon which 20%, 40% and 40%, respectively, of the Stock Purchase Option becomes fully exercisable.

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