

Schlonsky Michael Allen
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FORM 5

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ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Schlonsky Michael Allen

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 BIG LOTS INC [BIG]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
 Senior Vice President

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 300 PHILLIPI ROAD
 (Street)

3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year)
 02/02/2013

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting (check applicable line)

COLUMBUS, OH 43228

Form Filed by One Reporting Person
 Form Filed by More than One Reporting Person

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. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	(A) or (D)	Price	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	Â	Â	3 ⁽¹⁾	Â	Â	Â	Â	D	Â
Common Stock	09/30/2012	Â	W	6,600	A	\$ 0	6,600	I	By the Trust ⁽²⁾
Common Stock	09/30/2012	Â	W	4,500	A	\$ 0	4,500	I	By the Pension Plan ⁽³⁾
Common Stock	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	3,108	I	By the 401(k)

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)

Table with columns: 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 Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5), 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) (A) (D), 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4), 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5), 9. of (Instr. 5), 10. Derivative Security (Instr. 5), 11. Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Table with columns: Reporting Owner Name / Address, Relationships (Director, 10% Owner, Officer, Other)

Signatures

Joseph Y. Heuer, Attorney-in-fact for Michael Allen Schlonsky 03/08/2013

**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 reporting person owned 302 more shares of the issuer when he became subject to Section 16 on August 23, 2012 than were previously reported on his Form 3 filed on August 30, 2012.
(2) The reporting person was appointed trustee of the Joseph Schlonsky 2007 Trust (the "Trust") on September 30, 2012. The reporting person and his sibling are the sole beneficiaries of the Trust.
Common stock held under the East Columbus Orthopedics Pension Plan Nonintegrated (the "Pension Plan"). The reporting person and his sibling are among the beneficiaries of the Pension Plan. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of any common shares of the issuer held by the Pension Plan except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
(4) Common shares held under the Big Lots Savings Plan (the "401(k) Plan"). This information is based on a 401(k) Plan report dated March 7, 2013.

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