

Portnoy Daniel  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 Portnoy Daniel

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 WINN DIXIE STORES INC  
 [WINN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 11/04/2009

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 SVP, Chief Merch/Market Office

C/O WINN-DIXIE STORES, INC., 5050 EDGEWOOD CT.

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

JACKSONVILLE, FL 32254

(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. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 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 Ownership (Instr. 4)                  |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|--|
| Common Stock                    | 11/04/2009                           |  | A                              | V<br>Amount<br>23,041<br>(1)                                      | (A)<br>or<br>(D)<br>Price<br>\$ 0   | 62,624 (2)   | D  |
| Common Stock                    |                                      |  |                                |   | 500   | I  | Andrew Portnoy - UTMA - Joan Portnoy Custodian FBO |
| Common Stock                    |                                      |  |                                |   | 500   | I  | Jeffrey Portnoy -                                  |

UTMA -  
Joan  
Portnoy  
Custodian  
FBO

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 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) | 8. Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Option                                     | \$ 11.32   | 11/04/2009                           |  | A                              | 42,668  | (3) 11/04/2016   | Common Stock  | 42,668                        |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |                                |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|--------------------------------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                        | Other |
| Portnoy Daniel<br>C/O WINN-DIXIE STORES, INC.<br>5050 EDGEWOOD CT.<br>JACKSONVILLE, FL 32254 |               |           | SVP, Chief Merch/Market Office |       |

## Signatures

/s/ Larry B. Appel  
Attorney-in-Attorney  
11/06/2009  
Date

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

## 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) Represents Restricted Stock Units ("RSUs") awarded under the Winn-Dixie Stores, Inc. Fiscal 2010 Equity Incentive Plan. The RSUs become vested, and certificates for shares of common stock become deliverable, in three equal annual installments beginning on the first

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anniversary of the date of grant. Each RSU represents a contingent right to receive one share of Winn-Dixie Stores, Inc. common stock.

- (2) The amount of securities owned balance includes 48,699 RSUs for which stock certificates will be issued upon vesting.
- (3) The Option shall vest in equal annual installments over 3 years beginning with the first anniversary of the date of grant.

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