

WAITE BRAD A  
Form 4  
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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 \*  
WAITE BRAD A

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)  
300 PHILLIPI ROAD  
  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
11/24/2006

\_\_\_\_ Director  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Executive Vice President

COLUMBUS, OH 43228

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

(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)
				Code	V Amount Price			
Common Stock	11/24/2006		M		50,000 A \$ 13.0625	101,834	D	
Common Stock	11/24/2006		M		60,000 A \$ 11.98	161,834	D	
Common Stock	11/24/2006		M		45,000 A \$ 10.85	206,834	D	
Common Stock	11/24/2006		S		400 D \$ 23.02	206,434	D	
Common Stock	11/24/2006		S		500 D \$ 23.03	205,934	D	

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Common Stock	11/24/2006	S	400	D	\$ 23.04	205,534	D
Common Stock	11/24/2006	S	1,300	D	\$ 23.05	204,234	D
Common Stock	11/24/2006	S	4,400	D	\$ 23.06	199,834	D
Common Stock	11/24/2006	S	4,800	D	\$ 23.07	195,034	D
Common Stock	11/24/2006	S	1,700	D	\$ 23.08	193,334	D
Common Stock	11/24/2006	S	4,600	D	\$ 23.09	188,734	D
Common Stock	11/24/2006	S	10,000	D	\$ 23.1	178,734	D
Common Stock	11/24/2006	S	30,500	D	\$ 23.11	148,234	D
Common Stock	11/24/2006	S	2,800	D	\$ 23.12	145,434	D
Common Stock	11/24/2006	S	11,300	D	\$ 23.13	134,134	D
Common Stock	11/24/2006	S	8,500	D	\$ 23.14	125,634	D
Common Stock	11/24/2006	S	6,200	D	\$ 23.15	119,434	D
Common Stock	11/24/2006	S	6,900	D	\$ 23.16	112,534	D
Common Stock	11/24/2006	S	8,000	D	\$ 23.17	104,534	D
Common Stock	11/24/2006	S	8,200	D	\$ 23.18	96,334	D
Common Stock	11/24/2006	S	12,800	D	\$ 23.19	83,534	D
Common Stock	11/24/2006	S	20,800	D	\$ 23.2	62,734	D
Common Stock	11/24/2006	S	3,200	D	\$ 23.21	59,534	D
Common Stock	11/24/2006	S	6,900	D	\$ 23.22	52,634	D
Common Stock	11/24/2006	S	800	D	\$ 23.23	51,834	D
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Common  
Stock

By spouse  
as  
custodian  
(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)

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)	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Purchase Option	\$ 13.0625	11/24/2006		M	50,000	06/26/2005 <sup>(2)</sup> 06/26/2010	Common Stock	50,000
Stock Purchase Option	\$ 11.98	11/24/2006		M	60,000	11/21/2005 <sup>(2)</sup> 02/25/2012	Common Stock	60,000
Stock Purchase Option	\$ 10.85	11/24/2006		M	45,000	11/21/2005 <sup>(2)</sup> 02/24/2013	Common Stock	45,000

## Reporting Owners

### Reporting Owner Name / Address

### Relationships

WAITE BRAD A  
300 PHILLIPI ROAD  
COLUMBUS, OH 43228

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Executive Vice President

## Signatures

Chadwick P. Reynolds, attorney in fact for Brad A.  
Waite

11/28/2006

                    \*\*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) By spouse as custodian for child in child's UTMA/Ohio account.

(2) The date upon which the option became fully exercisable.

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