GENESCO INC Form SC 13G March 13, 2008

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

SCHEDULE 13G

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Amendment No.)*

GENESCO INC.

(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock, \$1 par value per share

(Title of Class of Securities)

371532102 -----(CUSIP Number)

March 3, 2008

(Date of Event which Requires Filing of this Statement)

Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:

- [] Rule 13d-1(b)
- [X] Rule 13d-1(c)
- [] Rule 13d-1(d)

* The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

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11. Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (9)

9.43% based on 22,795,681 shares outstanding.

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12. Type of Reporting Person:

IN, HC

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Item 1(a). Name of Issuer:

Genesco Inc. (the "Issuer").

Item 1(b). Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices:

Genesco Park, 1415 Murfreesboro Road, Nashville, Tennessee 37217-2895

Item 2(a). Name of Person Filing:

This Statement is filed on behalf of each of the following persons (collectively, the "Reporting Persons"):

- i) Anchorage Capital Master Offshore, Ltd. ("Anchorage Offshore");
- ii) Anchorage Advisors, L.L.C. ("Advisors");
- iii) Anchorage Advisors Management, L.L.C. ("Management");
- iv) Anthony L. Davis ("Mr. Davis"); and
- v) Kevin M. Ulrich ("Mr. Ulrich").

This statement relates to Shares (as defined herein) held for the account of Anchorage Offshore. Advisors is the investment advisor to Anchorage Offshore. Management is the sole managing member of Advisors. Mr. Davis is the President of Advisors and a managing member of Management, and Mr. Ulrich is the Chief Executive Officer of Advisors and the other managing member of Management.

Item 2(b). Address of Principal Business Office or, if None, Residence:

The address of the principal business office of each of the Reporting Persons is 610 Broadway, 6th Floor, New York, NY 10012.

Item 2(c). Citizenship:

- 1) Anchorage Offshore is a Cayman Islands exempted company incorporated with limited liability;
 - 2) Advisors is a Delaware limited liability company;
 - 3) Management is a Delaware limited liability company;
 - 4) Mr. Davis is a citizen of the United States of America; and
 - 5) Mr. Ulrich is a citizen of Canada.

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Item 2(d). Title of Class of Securities:

Common Stock, \$1 par value per share (the "Shares")

Item 2(e). CUSIP Number:

371532102

Item 3. If This Statement is Filed Pursuant to ss.ss.240.13d-1(b) or 240.13d-2(b) or (c), Check Whether the Person Filing is a:

This Item 3 is not applicable.

Item 4. Ownership:

Item 4(a). Amount Beneficially Owned:

As of the date hereof, each of the Reporting Persons may be deemed beneficial owner of 2,150,566 Shares.

Item 4(b). Percent of Class:

The number of Shares of which the Reporting Persons may be deemed to be the beneficial owner constitutes approximately 9.43% of the total number of Shares outstanding (based upon information provided by the Issuer in its most recently filed quarterly report on Form 10-Q, there were 22,795,681 Shares outstanding as of November $30,\ 2007$).

Item 4(c). Number of Shares of which such person has:

Anchorage Offshore:

(i) Sole power to vote or direct the vote:	2,150,566
(ii) Shared power to vote or direct the vote:	0
(iii) Sole power to dispose or direct the disposition of:	2,150,566
(iv) Shared power to dispose or direct the disposition of:	0

Advisors:

(i) Sole power to vote or direct the vote:	2,150,566
(ii) Shared power to vote or direct the vote:	0
(iii) Sole power to dispose or direct the disposition of:	2,150,566
(iv) Shared power to dispose or direct the disposition of:	0

Management:

(i) Sole power to vote or direct the vote: 2,150,566

(ii) Share	d power to vote or direct the vote:	0		
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Item 8.	Identification and Classification of Members of	the Group:		
	See disclosure in Item 2 hereof.			
Item 9.	Notice of Dissolution of Group:			
	This Item 9 is not applicable.			
Item 10.	Certification:			
By signing below each of the Reporting Persons certifies that, to the best of their knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing				

or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect.

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SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

ANCHORAGE CAPITAL MASTER OFFSHORE LTD.

Date: March 13, 2008

By: /s/ Kevin M. Ulrich

Name: Kevin M. Ulrich

Title: Director

Date: March 13, 2008 ANCHORAGE ADVISORS, L.L.C.

By: Anchorage Advisors Management, L.L.C.,

its Managing Member

By: /s/ Anthony L. Davis

Name: Anthony L. Davis

Title: Managing Member

Date: March 13, 2008 ANCHORAGE ADVISORS MANAGEMENT, L.L.C.

By: /s/ Anthony L. Davis

Name: Anthony L. Davis Title: Managing Member

Date: March 13, 2008 ANTHONY L. DAVIS

/s/ Anthony L Davis

Date: March 13, 2008 KEVIN M. ULRICH

/s/ Kevin M. Ulrich

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A Joint Filing Agreement, dated March 13, 2008 by and among Reporting Persons.....

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EXHIBIT A

JOINT FILING AGREEMENT

The undersigned hereby agree that the statement on Schedule 13G with respect to the Common Stock of Genesco Inc. dated as of March 13, 2008 is, and any amendments thereto (including amendments on Schedule 13D) signed by each of the undersigned shall be, filed on behalf of each of us pursuant to and in accordance with the provisions of Rule 13d-1(k) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

ANCHORAGE CAPITAL MASTER OFFSHORE LTD.

Date: March 13, 2008

By: /s/ Kevin M. Ulrich

Name: Kevin M. Ulrich

Title: Director

Date: March 13, 2008 ANCHORAGE ADVISORS, L.L.C.

By: Anchorage Advisors Management, L.L.C.,

its Managing Member

By: /s/ Anthony L. Davis

Total Total

Name: Anthony L. Davis Title: Managing Member

Date: March 13, 2008 ANCHORAGE ADVISORS MANAGEMENT, L.L.C.

By: /s/ Anthony L. Davis

Name: Anthony L. Davis Title: Managing Member

Date: March 13, 2008 ANTHONY L. DAVIS

/s/ Anthony L Davis

Date: March 13, 2008 KEVIN M. ULRICH

/s/ Kevin M. Ulrich
