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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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FERBER NORMAN A  (Last) (First) (Middle)					ROS 3. Dat	Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ROSS STORES INC [ ROST ]      Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/24/2008									Chairman of the Poord				
4440 ROSEWOOD DR.  BUILDING 4  (Street)  PLEASANTON CA 94588  (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If A	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Chairman of the Board  ividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person				
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transactio Date (Month/Day/Y					/Year) i	Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)  4. Securities Acquired (Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3)				, 4 and Secur		icially d	6. Owner Form: I (D) or Indirect	Direct	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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Common Stock 03/24/20					08			S		4,000	I	\$	30.92 <i>6</i>	0		Γ	)		
	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)	e of 2. Conversion Date Drice of Derivative Security  3. Transaction Date Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transac	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)  Date Expiration Exercisable Date			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr 3 and 4)  Amou		8. of De Se (In	Price rivative curity str. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Owr For Dire or I (I) (I 4)	nership m: ect (D) ndirect nstr.	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		

Explanation of Responses:

/s/Norman Ferber, Chairman of the Board 03/25/2008

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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