

**FORM 5**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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**ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

Form 3 Holdings Reported.

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Form 4 Transactions Reported.

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>FASSIO JAMES S</u>  (Last) (First) (Middle) 4440 ROSEWOOD DRIVE, BUILDING 4  (Street) PLEASANTON CA 94588  (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>ROSS STORES INC [ ROST ]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <u>President, Chief Dev. Officer</u>
	3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year) <u>02/02/2013</u>	
4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		

**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 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)
				Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	07/01/2010		G5	268	D	\$0.00	364,093	D	
Common Stock	07/01/2010		G5	268	A	\$0.00	127,858	I	by Trust A <sup>(1)</sup>
Common Stock	12/31/2010		G5	96	D	\$0.00	363,997	D	
Common Stock	12/31/2010		G5	96	A	\$0.00	127,954	I	by Trust A <sup>(1)</sup>
Common Stock	03/21/2011		G5	14,096	D	\$0.00	349,901	D	
Common Stock	03/21/2011		G5	14,096	A	\$0.00	142,050	I	by Trust A <sup>(1)</sup>
Common Stock	03/31/2011		G5	206	D	\$0.00	349,695	D	
Common Stock	03/31/2011		G5	206	A	\$0.00	142,256	I	by Trust A <sup>(1)</sup>
Common Stock	06/30/2011		G5	182	D	\$0.00	349,513	D	
Common Stock	06/30/2011		G5	182	A	\$0.00	142,438	I	by Trust A <sup>(1)</sup>
Common Stock	09/30/2011		G5	186	D	\$0.00	349,327	D	
Common Stock	09/30/2011		G5	186	A	\$0.00	142,624	I	by Trust A <sup>(1)</sup>
Common Stock	12/30/2011		G5	65	D	\$0.00	349,262	D	
Common Stock	12/30/2011		G5	65	A	\$0.00	142,689	I	by Trust A <sup>(1)</sup>
Common Stock	03/30/2012		G	126	D	\$0.00	349,136	D	
Common Stock	03/30/2012		G	126	A	\$0.00	142,815	I	by Trust A <sup>(1)</sup>
Common Stock	06/29/2012		G	117	D	\$0.00	349,019	D	
Common Stock	06/29/2012		G	117	A	\$0.00	142,932	I	by Trust A <sup>(1)</sup>
Common Stock	09/28/2012		G	113	D	\$0.00	348,906	D	
Common Stock	09/28/2012		G	113	A	\$0.00	143,045	I	by Trust A <sup>(1)</sup>

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				Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	12/20/2012		G	90,000	D	\$0.00	258,906	D	
Common Stock	12/20/2012		G	90,000	A	\$0.00	90,000	I	by Trust B <sup>(2)</sup>
Common Stock	12/31/2012		G	56	D	\$0.00	258,850	D	
Common Stock	12/31/2012		G	56	A	\$0.00	143,101	I	by Trust A <sup>(1)</sup>

**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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date					

**Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Securities held in the name of James S. Fassio Revocable Trust.
- 2. Securities held in the name of James S. Fassio 2012 Dynasty Irrevocable Trust.

**Remarks:**

Two of Two Forms

/s/ JAMES S. FASSIO  
President, Chief Development 03/13/2013  
Officer

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person      Date

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

\* 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).

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