FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Morrow Brian R.     |  |  |              | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ROSS STORES, INC. [ ROST ] |                 |  |        |   |        |        |   | (Chec  | k all app<br>Direc         | tor                                       | ng Pei  | 10% O   | wner   |  |  |
|---|--|--|--------------|--|-----------------|--|--------|---|--------|--------|---|--|----------------------------|---|---|---|--|--|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 5130 HACIENDA DRIVE                   |  |  |              | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/13/2020            |                 |  |        |   |        |        |   | X Officer (give title Other (specify below)  President, CMO dd's DISCOUNTS |                            |   |   |   | ·  |  |  |
| (Street)  DUBLIN  (City)                                      |  |  | 4568<br>Zip) |  | 4. If <i>F</i>  | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)                           |        |   |        |        |   |  | )                          | 6. Indi<br>Line)<br>X                     | ividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person |   |  |  |  |
|   |  | Table                                      | I - No       | n-Deriva   | tive S          | Secui  | rities | Acq   | uired, | Dis    | posed of  | , or E   | Benef                      | icially                                   | / Own   | ed  |  |  |  |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transacti Date (Month/Day |  |  |              |  | Execution Date, |  |        | 3.<br>Transaction<br>Code (Instr. 8)  4. Securities Acquired (A<br>Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3,<br>5) |        |        | 4 and Securi<br>Benefi  |  | ies<br>cially<br>Following | Forn<br>(D) o                             | wnership<br>n: Direct<br>or Indirect<br>nstr. 4)  | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |  |  |  |
|   |  |  |              |  |                 |  |        | Code  | v      | Amount | (A) or (D)  |  | rice                       | Transa                                    | Transaction(s)<br>Instr. 3 and 4)   |   |  | (111341. 4)  |  |
| Common Stock 03/13/20   |  |  |              |  | .020            |  | F      |   | 19,335 | D      | \$  | 92.83  | 10                         | 2,265                                     |   | D   |  |  |  |
|   | Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) |  |              |  |                 |  |        |   |        |        |   |  |                            |   |   |   |  |  |  |
| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)           | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security  | 3. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | if any       | emed<br>ion Date,<br>/Day/Year)  |                 | nsaction de (Instr. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) |        | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)  Date Exercisable Expiration Date          |        |        | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Inst 3 and 4)  Amoun or Numbo of Title Shares |  | De Se (In                  | Price of<br>rivative<br>curity<br>str. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)                              |   | 10.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |  |

**Explanation of Responses:** 

/s/ Ken Jew for Brian Morrow 03/17/2020

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).
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