Instruction 1(b).

FORM 4

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     MILLIGAN STEPHEN D					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ROSS STORES, INC. [ ROST ]								ck all app	licable)	ng Pe	erson(s) to Is			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 5130 HACIENDA DRIVE				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/18/2022								Office below	cer (give title ow)		Other ( below)	specify			
(Street) DUBLIN (City)	I CA	ate) (Z	4568 Zip)			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Line)	Form Form Perso	vidual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
		Table	I - Nor	n-Deriva	tive S	Secu	rities	Acq	uired,	Dis	posed of	, or E	3ene	ficiall	y Own	ed			
Date			2. Transac Date (Month/Da	Execution D		Date,	Code (Instr.					, 4 and Secur Benef		cially Following	Forr (D)	n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
									Code	v	Amount	Amount (A) or (D)		Price	Transa	nsaction(s) str. 3 and 4)			(111041. 4)
Common Stock			05/18/	2022			A		1,725(1)	) A		\$ <mark>0</mark>	0 17,930			D			
	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	ise (Month/Day/Year) if any (Month/Day/Year) Code (Instr. 8)		of Deriv	r osed ) r. 3, 4	6. Date Exercisable ar Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)  Date Exercisable Expiration Date Expiration Date Expiration Date Expiration Date			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Ins 3 and 4)		str.	Price of erivative ecurity istr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	у	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficia Ownership (Instr. 4)			

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Shares issued under the terms of the 2017 Equity Incentive Plan. Shares become vested as follows: 1/3 on May 24, 2023, 1/3 on May 24, 2024, and 1/3 on May 27, 2025.

/s/ Ken Jew for Stephen 05/20/2022 <u>Milligan</u>

\*\* 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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