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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer Name and Address of Reporting Person* (Check all applicable) **BIG LOTS INC** [BIG] Newton Kimberley Alexis 10% Owner 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Other (specify Officer (give title 05/24/2023 below) below) (Last) (Middle) (First) 4900 E. DUBLIN GRANVILLE ROAD 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person (Street) Form filed by More than One Reporting 43081 **COLUMBUS** OH Person Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication (City) (State) (Zip) Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan that is intended to satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10. Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 6. Ownership Form: Direct 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction 2A. Deemed 5. Amount of 7. Nature Date (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, Transaction Securities Beneficially if any (Month/Day/Year) Code (Instr. and 5) (D) or Beneficial Owned Following Ownership (Instr. 4) 8) Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) or (D) Code v Amount Price (Instr. 3 and 4) 05/24/2023 Common Stock 19,003 \$0 26,055 D Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) 1 Title of 3. Transaction 34 Deemed 6. Date Exercisable and 7 Title and 8. Price of 9. Number of 10 11 Nature Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Conversion Execution Date, Transaction Ownership Derivative Number Amount of derivative (Month/Day/Year) if any (Month/Day/Year) Security or Exercise Code (Instr. Securities Security Securities Form: Beneficial (Instr. 3) Derivative Underlying (Instr. 5) Beneficially Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Derivative Owned (Instr. 4) Securities Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) Security Acquired Following (A) or Reported Disposed Transaction(s) of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 (Instr. 4) ànd 5)

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

Ronald A. Robins, Jr., Attorney-in-fact for 05/26/2023 Kimberley Alexis Newton

** Signature of Reporting Person

Amount or Number

Shares

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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