FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

<b>STATEMENT</b>	OF CHANGES	S IN BENEFICIAL	L OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  MCCLURE LAWRENCE D					CI	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CHILDRENS PLACE RETAIL STORES INC [ PLCE ]									Check	all app Dired	o of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer licable) tor 10% Owner er (give title Other (specif		wner		
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O THE CHILDREN'S PLACE RETAIL STORES, INC. 500 PLAZA DRIVE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/19/2013									X below) SVP, Human Resources						
(Street) SECAUCUS NJ 07094  (City) (State) (Zip)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
		Tabl	e I - Nor	า-Deriv	ative	Se	curitie	s Acc	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or	Ben	efici	ally	Owne	ed				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)					Execution Date,		Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5)		ties Acquired (A) d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			4 and Secui Benet		cially I Following	Form: [ (D) or li	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				
						Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	e	Transa	ransaction(s) nstr. 3 and 4)			(11341.4)				
Common	Stock, par	value \$0.10 per s	share	04/19	/2013			A		6,400(1)		A	\$	\$0		33,826		)			
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Derivative Security Instr. 3) Date (Month/Day/Year)  Month/Day/Year)  Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)  Month/Day/Year)  Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transa Code ( 8)			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)  Date Expiration Exercisable Date		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)  Amoun or Numbe of		ount nber	-		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Own For Dire or I	nership m: ect (D) ndirect nstr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)					

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Represents shares of Common Stock, par value \$0.10 per share, of The Children's Place Retail Stores, Inc. (the "Company"), underlying time restricted stock units granted under the Company's 2011 Equity Incentive Plan (the "Plan") on April 19, 2013, one-third of which are deliverable to Mr. McClure on each of the first, second and third anniversaries of the date of grant provided Mr. McClure is employed by the Company on the respective vesting dates, subject to the terms and conditions of the Plan.

/s/ James E. Myers, as

Attorney-In-Fact for Lawrence 04/22/2013

**McClure** 

\*\* 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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