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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1 | Thank and Address of Reporting Leson | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>CALAVO GROWERS INC</u> [CVGTW] | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | | |
|------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------|---|-------|--|-----------------------|--|--|--|
| | | <u>511</u> | | | Director | 10% Owner | | | |
| (Last) 1141-A CUMMI | (First) NGS RD. | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/27/2012 | | Officer (give title below) | Other (specify below) | | | |
| · | | | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | vidual or Joint/Group Fili | ing (Check Applicable | | | |
| (Street) | | | | Line) | | | | | |
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| | | | | | Form filed by More th Person | an One Reporting | | | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | | | | | | | |

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. Transa Code (8) | | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported | 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 | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | (1150.4) |
| Common Stock | 12/27/2012 | | G | v | 490 | D | \$ <mark>0</mark> | 126,350 | D | |
| Common Stock | 12/28/2012 | | G | v | 958 | D | \$ <mark>0</mark> | 125,392 | D | |
| Common Stock | 12/31/2012 | | G | v | 435 | D | \$ <mark>0</mark> | 124,957 | D | |
| Common Stock | 01/28/2013 | | Α | | 1,000 | Α | \$ <mark>0</mark> | 125,957 | 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 | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transa Code (8) | | 5. Nu of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) or Dispo of (D) (Instr and 5 | ative rities ired osed | Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | Amount of Securities | | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | Ownership Form: Direct (D) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---|---|--|---|------------------------------|---|--|---------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|--|---|--|----------------------------------|--|
| | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

01/29/2013 son Date

** Signature of Reporting Person

/s/ Dorcas H. McFarlane

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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