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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * WIRE WILLIAM S			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GENESCO INC [GCO]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Chech all applicable)		
GENESCO INC., 1415 MURFREESBORO ROAD		D	(Month/Day/Year) 06/08/2005	XDirector10% OwnerOfficer (give title below)Other (specify below)		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
NASHVILLE, TN 37217				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative	Secui	rities Acquir	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Securities Acquired (A) our Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(I) (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	06/08/2005		A	4,000	A	\$ 13.69	31,060	D	
Common Stock	06/08/2005		A	4,000	A	\$ 15.56	35,060	D	
Common Stock	06/08/2005		A	4,000	A	\$ 32.65	39,060	D	
Common Stock	06/08/2005		A	4,000	A	\$ 23.97	43,060	D	
Common Stock	06/08/2005		S	16,000	D	\$ 34.8575	27,060	D	

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number op f Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. D Se (I
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 13.69	06/08/2005		M	4,000	12/23/1999	06/23/2009	Common Stock	4,000	
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 15.56	06/08/2005		M	4,000	12/28/2000	06/28/2010	Common Stock	4,000	
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 32.65	06/08/2005		M	4,000	12/27/2001	06/27/2011	Common Stock	4,000	
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 23.97	06/08/2005		M	4,000	12/26/2002	06/26/2012	Common Stock	4,000	• ;

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
. 9	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
WIRE WILLIAM S GENESCO INC. 1415 MURFREESBORO ROAD NASHVILLE, TN 37217	X						

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Signatures

Roger G. Sisson, attorney-in-fact 06/09/2005

**Signature of Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

Date

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