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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

FELDBERG MEYER

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

12/31/2006

FEDERATED DEPARTMENT

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

STORES INC /DE/ [FD]

X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

(Check all applicable)

(Month/Day/Year) below)

145 CENTRAL PARK WEST, APT.

(Street)

(State)

(First)

(Middle)

2B

4. If Amendment, Date Original

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

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

NEW YORK, NY 10023

(City) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Form: Direct Indirect Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Ownership Owned Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Following (Instr. 4)

Reported

(A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

(D) Price Code V Amount

Common 12/31/2006 Stock

530 (1) A \$0 M

 $13,353 \stackrel{(2)}{=}$

D

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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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)	Derivative		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		() SS ()
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Stock Units	<u>(3)</u>	12/31/2006		M		530 (1)	12/31/2006	12/31/2006	Common Stock	530	
Phantom Stock Units	<u>(3)</u>	12/31/2006		A	331		12/31/2009	12/31/2009	Common Stock	331	4

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
FELDBERG MEYER 145 CENTRAL PARK WEST APT. 2B NEW YORK, NY 10023	X						

Signatures

/s/Padma Tatta Cariappa, as attorney-in-fact for Meyer Feldberg pursuant to a Power of Attorney

01/03/2007

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- The amount of the phantom stock units previously reported was 265 shares, but was adjusted to reflect the 2-for-1 stock split that occurred with respect to the Issuer's common stock on June 9, 2006. The number reported reflects the 1-for-1 conversion of phantom stock units to shares of common stock of the Issuer.
- (2) Includes 20 shares received December 31, 2006 pursuant to a dividend reinvestment feature of the Issuer's directors compensation program.
- (3) 1-for-1 conversion.
- (4) The price noted is the average of the value of the stock units granted each month during the quarter for which this report is filed.

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