FORM 3

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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	06/09/2009	, [4	Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		
C/O G-III APPAREL GROUP, LTD. 512 SEVENTH AVENUE, 35TH FLOOR (Street) NEW YORK NY 10018 (City) (State) (Zip)			X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Dir. of Business Develop.			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned								
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)			Amount of Securities eneficially Owned (Instr. 4)			4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)		
Common Stock			165,280	D				
Common Stock			11,348	I A		manda Julie Goldfarb Trust 2007		
Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)								
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		Title and Amount of Securi Underlying Derivative Securi		4. Conversion or	Form:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)	
		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Exercise Price of Derivative Security	or Indirect (e) (l) (Instr. 5)		
Stock Option (Right to buy)	10/19/2008 ⁽¹⁾	10/19/2017	Common stock	5,000	18.4	D		

Explanation of Responses:

1. The option is subject to vesting at an annual rate of 20% commencing on the first anniversary of the grant date.

<u>/s/ Jeffrey D. Goldfarb</u> <u>06/17/2009</u>

** 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 5 (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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