

CHICOS FAS INC  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
EDMONDS SCOTT A

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
11215 METRO PARKWAY  
(Street)

FT. MYERS, FL 33966

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
CHICOS FAS INC [CHS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
03/07/2008

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
Chairman, President and CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|--|
|                                 |                                      |  | Code                           | V   | Amount or (D) Price   |  |  |
| Common Stock                    | 03/07/2008                           |  | A                              |   | 30,000 <sup>(1)</sup>   | A  | \$ 0                                       |
| Common Stock                    |                                      |  |                                |   | 95,000  | D  |  |
| Common Stock                    |                                      |  |                                |   | 1,200   | I  | by Spouse                                  |
| Common Stock                    |                                      |  |                                |   | 25,448 <sup>(3)</sup>   | I  | By trust                                   |
| Common Stock                    |                                      |  |                                |   | 2,248   | I  | By daughter                                |
| Common Stock                    |                                      |  |                                |   | 189,035   | I  | By limited partnership                     |

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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)

| 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of 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) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|
| Employee Stock Options                     | \$ 7.42  | 03/07/2008                           |  | A                              | 90,000  | <u>(2)</u> 03/07/2018                                    | Common Stock  | 90,000                     |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                | Relationships |           |                             |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|-----------------------------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                     | Other |
| EDMONDS SCOTT A<br>11215 METRO PARKWAY<br>FT. MYERS, FL 33966 | X             |           | Chairman, President and CEO |       |

## Signatures

Michael J. Kincaid, Attorney  
In Fact 03/10/2008

\*\*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).
- (1) Restricted stock grant which vests 1/3 each year beginning 03/07/2009.
- (2) Vests 1/3 each year beginning 03/07/2009.
- (3) Since the reporting person's last report, 22,800 directly owned shares were transferred to the trust controlled by the reporting person, thus converting those 22,800 shares from directly owned shares to indirectly owned shares.

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