

CHRISTOPHER & BANKS CORP  
 Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**WALLER JOEL N**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**CHRISTOPHER & BANKS CORP [CBK]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 2400 XENIUM LANE NORTH  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 01/17/2017

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
 President & CEO

PLYMOUTH, MN 55441

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(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. 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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	01/17/2017		A	200,000 (1)	\$ 0	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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of 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)
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 1.42	01/17/2017		A	375,000	<u>(2)</u> 01/17/2022	Common Stock 375,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
WALLER JOEL N 2400 XENIUM LANE NORTH PLYMOUTH, MN 55441	X		President & CEO	

## Signatures

/s/ Brook Nuernberg,  
Attorney-in-Fact

01/19/2017  
Date

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

## 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) The reporting person was awarded 200,000 shares of Common Stock pursuant to a Restricted Stock Agreement. The restricted stock will vest, if at all, in two tranches: one tranche of 100,000 shares will vest if, on any date prior to the "Vesting Date" (as defined below), the Company's common stock has a closing price equal to or greater than \$3.00 on the New York Stock Exchange ("NYSE"), and the second tranche of 100,000 shares will vest if, on any date prior to the Vesting Date, the Company's common stock has a closing price equal to or greater than \$4.00 on the NYSE. If a threshold is not met, the tranche of shares of restricted stock subject to such threshold will be forfeited. "Vesting Date" means the twelve-month anniversary of Executive's last date of service as interim CEO.

(2) The reporting person was granted an option that will vest and become exercisable upon the earlier to occur of: (i) January 17, 2018, (ii) the date on which the Company has hired a permanent Chief Executive Officer, and (iii) the termination of the reporting person's employment without cause due to a change in control of the Company. The stock options will be exercisable after vesting and also following the reporting person's employment termination (assuming such termination is not for cause, death or disability) for the lesser of (i) three years following the reporting person's employment termination date and (ii) the remaining term of the option.

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