Griffith Susan Patricia Form 4 February 05, 2013

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

Griffith Susan Patricia

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

CHILDRENS PLACE RETAIL STORES INC [PLCE]

Issuer

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 02/04/2013

X\_ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

C/O THE CHILDREN'S PLACE RETAIL STORES,, INC. 500 PLAZA DRIVE

4. If Amendment, Date Original

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

SECAUCUS, NJ 07094

(City) (State) (Zip)

(Street)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Instr. 3)

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

Code (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)

3.

TransactionAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

(A)

(D)

4. Securities

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

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(9-02)

Common

per share

Stock, par 02/04/2013 value \$0.10

Code V Amount

2.913

Price

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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# **Reporting Owners**

Relationships

Reporting Owner Name / Address Officer Director Other Owner

Griffith Susan Patricia C/O THE CHILDREN'S PLACE RETAIL STORES, INC. 500 PLAZA DRIVE SECAUCUS, NJ 07094

X

# **Signatures**

/s/ James E. Myers, as Attorney-In-Fact for Susan P. 02/05/2013 Griffith

Date

# **Explanation of Responses:**

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

- 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).

Represents shares of common stock, par value \$0.10 per share, of The Children's Place Retail Stores, Inc. (the "Company"), underlying (1) time restricted stock units granted under the Company's 2011 Equity Incentive Plan (the "Plan") on Monday, February 4, 2013. Such shares are deliverable to the reporting person on the first anniversary of the date of grant, subject to the terms and conditions of the Plan.

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