Container Store Group, Inc.

Form 4

August 06, 2015

### FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Galashan John Kristofer

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Container Store Group, Inc. [TCS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

(Last)

(City)

(First) (Middle)

(Zin)

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

\_X\_\_ Director Officer (give title X\_\_ 10% Owner \_ Other (specify

11111 SANTA MONICA **BOULEVARD, SUITE 2000** 

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

08/03/2015

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

below)

LOS ANGELES, CA 90025

(State)

(City)	(State) (	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 onAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)  (A) or Amount (D) Price	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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01					20,952,262	I	See Footnotes. (1) (2)	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01					6,285,164	I	See Footnotes. (1) (2)	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01					269,118	I	See Footnotes. (1) (2)	

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 18					(3)	10/31/2023	Common Stock	13,602
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 21.53					<u>(5)</u>	10/27/2024	Common Stock	10,132
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 17.28	08/03/2015	<u>(6)</u>	A	11,821	<u>(7)</u>	08/03/2025	Common Stock	11,821

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Galashan John Kristofer					
11111 SANTA MONICA BOULEVARD, SUITE 2000	X	X			
LOS ANGELES, CA 90025					

#### **Signatures**

/s/ Lance J.T. Schumacher, as Attorney-in-Fact for J. Kristofer 08/06/2015

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Reporting Owners 2

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 20,952,262, 6,285,164, and 269,118 shares of the Issuer's common stock, par value \$0.01 per share (the "Common Stock") reported herein are owned directly by Green Equity Investors V, L.P. ("GEI V"), Green Equity Investors Side V, L.P. ("GEI Side V"), and TCS

- Co-Invest, LLC ("TCS"), respectively. GEI Capital V, LLC ("GEIC") is the general partner of GEI V and GEI Side V. Green V Holdings, LLC ("Holdings") is a limited partner of GEI V and GEI Side V. J. Kristofer Galashan is a principal of Leonard Green & Partners, L.P. ("LGP"), which is the management company of GEI V and GEI Side V, the manager of TCS, and an affiliate of GEIC and Holdings. LGP Management, Inc. is the general partner of LGP.
  - Mr. Galashan directly (whether through ownership or position) or indirectly through one or more intermediaries, may be deemed for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, to be the indirect beneficial owner of the shares owned by
- (2) GEI V, GEI Side V, and TCS. Mr. Galashan disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares reported herein except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein and this report shall not be deemed an admission that he is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- (3) The options reported on this row are fully vested.
- (4) The options reported on this row are held by Mr. Galashan for the benefit of LGP. Mr. Galashan disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities.
  - Subject to Mr. Galashan's continued service through each such vesting date, the option reported on this row shall vest and become exercisable in three equal installments as follows: (i) the first installment vested on August 2, 2015; (ii) the second installment shall vest
- on the earlier of (x) the day immediately preceding the date of the second annual meeting of the Issuer's stockholders (any annual meeting of the Issuer's stockholders, an "Annual Meeting") following October 27, 2014 (the "First Grant Date") and (y) August 4, 2016; and (iii) the third installment shall vest on the earlier of (x) the day immediately preceding the third Annual Meeting following the First Grant Date and (y) August 4, 2017.
- (6) Not applicable.
  - Subject to Mr. Galashan's continued service through each such vesting date, the option reported on this row shall vest and become exercisable in three equal installments as follows: (i) the first installment shall vest on the earlier of (x) the day immediately preceding
- the date of the first Annual Meeting following August 3, 2015 (the "Second Grant Date") and (y) August 3, 2016; (ii) the second installment shall vest on the earlier of (x) the day immediately preceding the second Annual Meeting following the Second Grant Date and (y) August 3, 2017; and (iii) the third installment shall vest on the earlier of (x) the day immediately preceding the third Annual Meeting following the Second Grant Date and (y) August 3, 2018.
- (8) Granted as compensation for services.

#### **Remarks:**

In addition to disclosing the transactions reported herein, this Form 4 corrects a rounding error in Row 2 of Table I in the original Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure.

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