SCHOTTENSTEIN JAY L

Form 4

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

RETAIL VENTURES INC [RVI]

Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

Symbol

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

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(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Tran	nsaction				
1800 MOI	LER ROAD		(Month/Day/Year) 12/04/2006			_X_ Director _X_ Officer (g below)	give title below	·
COLUMB	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Filed(Month/Day/Year)	e Original				ng Person
						Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Dei	rivative Secur	ities Aco	quired, Disposed	l of, or Benef	icially Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution I any (Month/Day	Oate, if Transaction(A) Code (In //Year) (Instr. 8)	Securities Acq.) or Disposed on the str. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or mount (D)	of (D)	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)
Stock, without par value	12/04/2006		M 50),000 A	\$ 14.06	165,300	D	
Common Stock, without par value						52,500	I	Glosser Brothers Acquisition, Inc.
Common Stock, without par value						19,206,766	I	Schottenstein Stores Corporation

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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)	4. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	*		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
			Code V		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy) 12/4/96	\$ 14.06	12/04/2006	M	50,000	12/04/2001	12/04/2006	Common Stock, without par value	50,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships
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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SCHOTTENSTEIN JAY L 1800 MOLER ROAD

1800 MOLER ROAD X Chairman of the Board COLUMBUS, OH 43207

Signatures

By: Robert J. Tannous, Attorney-in-Fact

**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).

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