#### STAGE STORES INC

Form 4

December 19, 2006

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

Security

(Instr. 3)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* GLAZER MICHAEL L

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

STAGE STORES INC [SSI]

X Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

10201 MAIN STREET

(Month/Day/Year) 12/15/2006

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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

Applicable Line)

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

Person

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

below)

HOUSTON, TX 77025

(City) (State) (Zip) 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Code (Month/Day/Year)

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following (Instr. 4)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(9-02)

Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amount of 8 4. 5. Number Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction Derivative **Expiration Date Underlying Securities** Security or Exercise Code Securities (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3 and 4) (Instr. 3) Price of (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquired

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	Derivative Security			(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)				
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 9.17	12/15/2006	M	2,500	08/24/2002	08/24/2011	Common Stock	2,500
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 9.17	12/15/2006	M	2,500	08/24/2003	08/24/2011	Common Stock	2,500
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Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 9.17	12/15/2006	M	2,500	08/24/2005	08/24/2011	Common Stock	2,500
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 10	12/15/2006	M	2,501	08/24/2002	08/24/2011	Common Stock	2,501
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 10	12/15/2006	M	2,500	08/24/2003	08/24/2011	Common Stock	2,500
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 10	12/15/2006	M	2,499	08/24/2004	08/24/2011	Common Stock	2,499
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 10	12/15/2006	M	2,499	08/24/2005	08/24/2011	Common Stock	2,499
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 10.83	12/15/2006	M	2,501	08/24/2002	08/24/2011	Common Stock	2,501
	\$ 10.83	12/15/2006	M	2,499	08/24/2003	08/24/2011		2,499

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Stock Option (Right to Buy)							Common Stock	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 10.83	12/15/2006	M	2,500	08/24/2004	08/24/2011	Common Stock	2,500
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 10.83	12/15/2006	M	2,500	08/24/2005	08/24/2011	Common Stock	2,500

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
<b>F</b>	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
GLAZER MICHAEL L					
10201 MAIN STREET	X				
HOUSTON, TX 77025					

# **Signatures**

/s/ R. E. Stasyszen, Attorney in Fact for Michael
Glazer

\*\*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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