Restoration Hardware Holdings Inc

Form 4

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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may continue. See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **ALBERINI CARLOS**

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

Restoration Hardware Holdings Inc

(Check all applicable)

[RH]

(Last)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X_ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

(Month/Day/Year) C/O RESTORATION HARDWARE 03/10/2014

(Middle)

HOLDINGS, INC., 15 KOCH

ROAD, SUITE J

Common

Stock

Stock

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

CORTE MADERA, CA 94925

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) 5. Amount of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transactionr Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Direct (D) Following or Indirect Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)

or (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V (D) Price Amount

\$ $D^{(1)}$ 238,290 D 65.06 771,059 D

03/10/2014 (2)

Common By Trust 251,414 I

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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7. Nature of Indirect

Beneficial

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Amou Underlying Securi (Instr. 3 and 4) | |
|---|---|---|---|---|--|------------------|--|-----------------|--|--------------------|
| | | | | Code V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amo Nun Shar |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 46.5 | 03/11/2014 | | <u>J(4)</u> | | 1,984,551 (4) | 11/01/2012 | 03/11/2014(5) | Common Stock | 1,9 |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ALBERINI CARLOS C/O RESTORATION HARDWARE HOLDINGS, INC. 15 KOCH ROAD, SUITE J CORTE MADERA, CA 94925



Signatures

/s/ Edward Lee as Attorney-In-Fact

03/12/2014

**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).

Restoration Hardware Holdings, Inc. (the "Company") repurchased such shares pursuant to its repurchase right under the Company's 2012 Equity Replacement Plan ("Equity Plan") and the applicable award agreement. The repurchased shares were subject to selling restrictions under the Equity Plan. The repurchase price was paid by the Company through the issuance of an unsecured subordinated promissory note to the reporting person. The promissory note has a term of eight years and accrues interest at a rate of 5% per year, with accrued interest payable annually by the Company on the anniversary of the note. The principal amount of the promissory note is payable by the Company at maturity on March 10, 2022.

- (2) Corresponds to the closing price per share of the Company's common stock on the New York Stock Exchange on the date of the repurchase.
- (3) By Carlos E. Alberini, as trustee of the Carlos E. Alberini Family Trust, dated November 1, 2012.

Disposition exempt under Rule 16b-6(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended. The shares underlying these options (the "Options") were subject to selling restrictions under the Company's 2012 Stock Option Plan (the "Option Plan"). In connection with the Company's notice electing to repurchase the shares underlying these Options in the event the reporting person exercised these Options, the reporting person elected not to exercise such options and forfeited them on the date indicated herein.

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- The forfeited options were canceled as of March 11, 2014, the date of forfeiture. The expiration date of the options that the reporting person continues to beneficially own following the reported transaction is 120 days following the reporting person's resignation as the Company's Co-CEO effective January 31, 2014.
- (6) The shares underlying the options that remain beneficially owned by the reporting person following reported transaction are not subject to selling restrictions under the Company's Option Plan.

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