## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <sup>*</sup> Pieter Deiters						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>G III APPAREL GROUP LTD /DE/</u> [ GIII ]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner					
(Last)		irst) (	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/09/2008									А	Office	Officer (give title below)		Other ( below)				
C/O G-III APPAREL GROUP LTD. 512 SEVENTH AVENUE						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
(Street) NEW YO	Street) NEW YORK NY 10018														X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(S	tate) (	Zip)																	
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
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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. Deen Executio if any (Month/E	n Date,	4. Transact Code (In 8)		on Number E		6. Date Exercisable Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Ins and 4)		of De Se (In	Price rivative curity str. 5)	ive Securities y Beneficial	Owners Form: Direct ( or India (I) (Inst 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr.	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$15.41	06/09/2008			A		3,000		<b>06/09/2009</b> <sup>(1)</sup>	06	/09/2018	Common Stock	3,00	0	\$0	3,000		D		

Explanation of Responses:

1. The option is subject to vesting at an annual rate of 20% commencing on the first anniversary of the grant date.

**Pieter Deiters** 

06/11/2008

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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