

SANDERS DONALD M
Form 4
December 10, 2012

FORM 4

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

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
SANDERS DONALD M

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
CALAVO GROWERS INC
[CVGW]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

1141A CUMMINGS RD

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
10/10/2012

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner
☐ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)

SANTA PAULA, CA 93060

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

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

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 Acquired or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	10/10/2012		M		13,600	A	\$ 14.58
Common Stock	10/10/2012		S		12,911	D	\$ 24
Common Stock	10/10/2012		M		5,000	A	\$ 21.82

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of 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 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)	\$ 14.58	10/10/2012		M		13,600		<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	13,600
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 21.82	10/10/2012		M		5,000		03/24/2012	03/24/2013	Common Stock	5,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SANDERS DONALD M 1141A CUMMINGS RD SANTA PAULA, CA 93060	X			

Signatures

/s/ Donald M.
Sanders

12/10/2012

Signature of
Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

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

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The stock option, representing the right to purchase up to a total of 34,000 shares of Issuer common stock, vested as to 6,800 shares of (1) Issuer common stock on May 21, 2009, 2010, 2011 and 2012, respectively, and the stock option is to vest as to the last installment of 6,800 shares on May 21, 2013, provided the Reporting Person remains a director of the Issuer on such vesting date.

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