

TAL International Group, Inc.
Form 4
October 19, 2005

FORM 4

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

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Burns John

(Last) (First) (Middle)

100 MANHATTANVILLE ROAD

(Street)

PURCHASE, NY 10577

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
TAL International Group, Inc. [TAL]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
10/17/2005

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

VP, Business Development

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

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 (A) 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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	10/17/2005		C	V Amount (A) or (D) 9,722 A	\$ 18 (1) 17,515	D	
Series A 12.0% Cumulative Senior Preferred Stock	10/17/2005		C	175 D	\$ 18 (1) 0	D	

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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
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 18	10/17/2005		A	36,352	(2) 10/11/2015	Common Stock 36,352

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Burns John 100 MANHATTANVILLE ROAD PURCHASE, NY 10577			VP, Business Development	

Signatures

/s/ Marc Pearlin, attorney-in-fact for John Burns 10/19/2005

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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(1) The Series A 12.0% Cumulative Senior Preferred Stock automatically converted into Common Stock upon the closing of the initial public offering of TAL International Group Inc.'s Common Stock. The Series A 12.0% Cumulative Senior Preferred Stock had a face value of \$1,000 per share and was converted into Common Stock at a conversion price equal to the initial public offering price of \$18 per share, resulting in a conversion of 175 shares of Series A 12.0% Cumulative Senior Preferred Stock into 9,722 shares of Common Stock.

(2) The options vest in four equal annual installments, beginning with one-fourth on October 11, 2006.

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