COPART INC Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Last)

1.Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

Security

or Exercise

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Rosenstein Barry

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Middle)

COPART INC [CPRT] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X_ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

C/O JANA PARTNERS LLC. 767 FIFTH AVENUE, 8TH FLOOR

(First)

4. If Amendment, Date Original (Street)

(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Month/Day/Year)

12/11/2008

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

below)

NEW YORK, NY 10153

(City) (State) (Zip)

(Month/Day/Year)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

3. 4. Securities Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or

Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Form: Direct Indirect Beneficially (D) or Indirect Beneficial Owned (I) Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) or

Transaction(s) (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 4. Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

5. Number of 6. Date Exercisable and **Transaction**Derivative **Expiration Date** Code Securities (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of 8 **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)					(
			Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	S
Stock Option	\$ 26.15	12/11/2008	A	20,000		(2)	12/11/2017	Common Stock	20,000	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Rosenstein Barry C/O JANA PARTNERS LLC 767 FIFTH AVENUE, 8TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10153	X					
JANA PARTNERS LLC 767 5TH AVENUE, 8TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10153	X					

Signatures

Barry Rosenstein	12/15/2008
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
JANA PARTNERS LLC by Charles Penner General Counsel	12/15/2008
**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).
- (1) 2007 Equity Incentive Plan. JANA Partners, LLC ("JANA") and Barry Rosenstein disclaim any beneficial ownership of any of the Issuer's securities reported herein except to the extent of their pecuniary interest therein.
- One half of the options vest on the first anniversary of the date of grant and the balance vest on a monthly basis over the 12 months succeeding such first anniversay.
- (3) Not applicable.

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