NEIMAN MARCUS GROUP INC

Form 4

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Richard & Susan Smith 1990 Charitable Trust

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

NEIMAN MARCUS GROUP INC [NMG.B]

(Check all applicable)

(First)

(Month/Day/Year)

Director 10% Owner __X__ Other (specify Officer (give title

C/O MARK D. BALK. GOULSTON

(Middle)

(Zip)

10/06/2005

below) below) Member of Schedule 13D group

& STORRS, PC, 400 ATLANTIC

(Street)

(State)

AVENUE

(City)

(Last)

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

Code V

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

BOSTON, MA 02110

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

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

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

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

(A) Amount

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) (D) Price

Class B Common

Stock

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516,500 D (1)

D

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)

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					(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)						
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							Date		of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

10% Owner Officer Other Director

Richard & Susan Smith 1990 Charitable Trust C/O MARK D. BALK, GOULSTON & STORRS, PC 400 ATLANTIC AVENUE BOSTON, MA 02110

Member of Schedule 13D

group

Signatures

/s/ Mark D. Balk, Attorney-in-Fact

10/11/2005

**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).
- Reflects shares disposed of pursuant to the Agreement and Plan of Merger, dated May 1, 2005, among The Neiman Marcus Group, Inc., Newton Acquisition, Inc. and Newton Acquisition Merger Sub, Inc.

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