WOODHOUSE MICHAEL A

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

Washington, D.C. 20549

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * WOODHOUSE MICHAEL A			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CRACKER BARREL OLD COUNTRY STORE, INC [CBRL]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) 305 HARTM	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/10/2009	Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) President & CEO		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person		
LEBANON, TN 37087				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative	Secu	rities Acquii	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit or Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of	` ′	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	09/14/2009		M	16,736	A	\$ 14.3125	245,789	D	
Common Stock	09/14/2009		S	16,736	D	\$ 32	229,053	D	
Common Stock							800	I	Held by Spouse

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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 orderivative Stacquired (A Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4,	Securities A) or C(D)	6. Date Exercise Expiration Date (Month/Day/Y	e	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Secur
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am Nui Sha
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 31.58	09/10/2009		A	106,978		09/10/2010	09/10/2019	Common Stock	10
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 14.3125	09/14/2009		M		16,736 (2)	09/30/2000	09/30/2009	Common Stock	16

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		

WOODHOUSE MICHAEL A 305 HARTMANN DRIVE LEBANON, TN 37087

President & CEO

Signatures

Michael A. Woodhouse by Forrest Shoaf, Attorney-in-fact

09/14/2009

**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) This option grant vests over three years in equal installments on September 10, 2010, 2011 and 2012, respectively.
- (2) Exercise of 10-year options granted in 1999. The sale reported in this Form 4 was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on July 9, 2009.

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