BIGLARI, SARDAR Form 4

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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to **BIGLARI, SARDAR** Issuer Symbol CRACKER BARREL OLD (Check all applicable) COUNTRY STORE, INC [CBRL] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director _X__ 10% Owner __X__ Other (specify Officer (give title (Month/Day/Year) below) below) 17802 IH 10 WEST, SUITE 400 01/03/2012 See Explanation of Responses (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person _X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting SAN ANTONIO, TX 78257 Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tal	ole I - Non-	-Derivative	Secur	ities Acquire	ed, Disposed of, o	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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securitie orDisposed o (Instr. 3, 4	f (D)	uired (A) or	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, par value \$0.01 (1)	01/03/2012		P	118,886	A	\$ 51.2783	2,266,773	I (6)	By Biglari Holdings Inc.
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 (1)	01/04/2012		P	116,711	A	\$ 51.2917 (3)	2,383,484	I (6)	By Biglari Holdings Inc.
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 (1)	01/05/2012		P	180,100	A	\$ 50.1111 (4)	2,563,584	I (6)	By Biglari Holdings Inc.

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Common Stock, par value \$0.01 (1)	P	1,900	A	\$ 50.7024 (5)	2,565,484	I (6)	By Biglari Holdings Inc.
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 (1)					140,100	I (7)	By The Lion Fund, L.P.

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,		ate	7. Title Amoun Underly Securiti (Instr. 3	nt of ying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	4, and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title N	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	Director 10% Owner Officer		Other			
BIGLARI, SARDAR 17802 IH 10 WEST, SUITE 400 SAN ANTONIO, TX 78257		X		See Explanation of Responses			
BIGLARI HOLDINGS INC. 17802 IH 10 WEST, SUITE 400 SAN ANTONIO, TX 78257		X		See Explanation of Responses			
BIGLARI CAPITAL CORP. 17802 IH 10 WEST, SUITE 400 SAN ANTONIO, TX 78257		X		See Explanation of Responses			
		X					

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LION FUND, L.P. 17802 IH 10 WEST, SUITE 400 SAN ANTONIO, TX 78257 See Explanation of Responses

Date

Signatures

By: /s/ Sardar Biglari	01/05/2012
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
By: Biglari Holdings Inc., By: /s/ Sardar Biglari, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer	01/05/2012
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
By: Biglari Capital Corp., By: /s/ Sardar Biglari, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer	01/05/2012
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
By: The Lion Fund, L.P., By: Biglari Capital Corp., its general partner, By: /s/ Sardar Biglari, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer	01/05/2012

Explanation of Responses:

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

**Signature of Reporting Person

- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- This Form 4 is filed jointly by Sardar Biglari, Biglari Holdings Inc. ("BH"), The Lion Fund, L.P. (the "Lion Fund") and Biglari

 (1) Capital Corp. ("BCC"). Each of Mr. Biglari, BH, the Lion Fund and BCC is a member of a Section 13(d) group that owns more than 10% of the Issuer's outstanding Common Stock. Each of Mr. Biglari, BH, the Lion Fund and BCC disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares of Common Stock of the Issuer that he or it does not directly own.
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$50.97 to \$51.50. The reporting persons undertake to provide to the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares purchased at each separate price within the ranges set forth in footnotes 2, 3, 4 and 5 to this Form 4.
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$51.09 to \$51.5171.
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$49.70 to \$50.69.
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$50.6981 to \$50.75.
- Shares owned directly by BH. Mr. Biglari is the Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of BH and has investment discretion over the securities owned by BH. By virtue of this relationship, Mr. Biglari may be deemed to beneficially own the shares of Common Stock of the Issuer owned directly by BH. Mr. Biglari disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares of Common Stock of the Issuer that he does not directly own.
- Shares owned directly by the Lion Fund. BCC is the general partner of the Lion Fund. BCC is a wholly-owned subsidiary of BH.

 Mr. Biglari is the Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of each of BCC and BH and has investment discretion over the securities owned by the Lion Fund. By virtue of these relationships, BCC, BH and Mr. Biglari may be deemed to beneficially own the shares of Common Stock of the Issuer owned directly by the Lion Fund. Each of Mr. Biglari, BH and BCC disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares of Common Stock of the Issuer that he or it does not directly own.

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