

SANDERS DONALD M
Form 4
October 16, 2008

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 *
SANDERS DONALD M

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
CALAVO GROWERS INC
[CVGW]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

1141A CUMMINGS RD

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
10/10/2008

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

SANTA PAULA, CA 93060

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	01/10/2008		M		8,000	A	\$ 7 31,821
Common Stock	10/10/2008		S		4,875	D	\$ 11.6 26,946

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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 (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)	8. I
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7	10/10/2008		X	8,000	⁽¹⁾ 12/23/2008	Common Stock	8,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SANDERS DONALD M 1141A CUMMINGS RD SANTA PAULA, CA 93060	X			

Signatures

Donald M. Sanders by Linda Kaufman 10/16/2008

__Signature of Reporting Person Date

By Power of Attorney 10/16/2008

__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).

The original stock option vested as to one-third annually beginning 12-23-04. Reporting Person's stock option agreement was modified in (1) December, 2005 to shorten the option life. Such modification was contemplated primarily because of Section 409A of the tax code. 17,000 option shares expired unexercised.

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