**COPART INC** Form 4

December 17, 2008

# FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

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

(Last)

(First) (Middle) COPART INC [CPRT] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

C/O JANA PARTNERS LLC, 767

(Street)

(Month/Day/Year) 12/15/2008

\_X\_\_ Director 10% Owner \_ Other (specify Officer (give title below)

FIFTH AVENUE, 8TH FLOOR

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Person

NEW YORK, NY 10153

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative S	ecurit	ies Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	ly 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. Securities omr Disposed (Instr. 3, 4	d of (L	<b>)</b> )	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	12/15/2008		S	96,316			3,768,178	I	See footnote
Common Stock	12/15/2008		S	179,900	D	\$ 25.77	3,588,278	I	See footnote (1)
Common Stock	12/15/2008		S	136,210	D	\$ 25.89	3,452,068	I	See footnote (1)
Common Stock	12/16/2008		S	21,510	D	\$ 26.6	3,430,558	I	See footnote

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Common Stock	12/16/2008	S	28,490	D	\$ 26.7 3	3,402,068	I	See footnote (1)
Common Stock	12/17/2008	S	45,561	D	\$ 27.5 3	3,356,507	I	See footnote (1)
Common Stock	12/17/2008	S	23,544	D	\$ 27.55	3,332,963	I	See footnote (1)

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 Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed		ate	7. Title at Amount of Underlyin Securities (Instr. 3 a	of ng s	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans
			Code V	of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	or Title Nu of	umber		(Instr

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
coporting of their state of	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Rosenstein Barry C/O JANA PARTNERS LLC 767 FIFTH AVENUE, 8TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10153	X						
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## **Signatures**

/s/ Barry Rosenstein 12/17/2008

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

/s/ JANA Partners LLC by Charles Penner, General
12/17/2008

Counsel

## **Explanation of Responses:**

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

\* 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).

JANA Partners LLC ("JANA") is a private money management firm which beneficially owns 3,332,963 shares of the Issuer's common stock through various entities and accounts under its management and control. Barry Rosenstein is the Managing Partner of JANA.

Date

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.

#### **Remarks:**

JANA may be deemed to be a director by virtue of the fact that Barry Rosenstein, Managing Partner of JANA, currently serve on the board of directors of the Issuer.

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