Humenesky Gregory Form 4 October 30, 2006

## FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Humenesky Gregory			uer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading I 1 IMPORTS INC/DE [PIR]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer									
(Last)	(First) (		of Earliest Transaction /Day/Year) /2006	(Check all applicable)  Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)  Exec. Vice Pres/Human Resource									
	(Street)		mendment, Date Original Ionth/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person									
(City)	(State)	(Zip) 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. 4. Securities Acquired (A Transactionor Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)  (A) or Code V Amount (D) Price	Securities Ownership Indirect Beneficially Form: Direct Beneficial Owned (D) or Ownership Following Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Reported (Instr. 4) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)									
common stock	10/27/2006		$A_{\underline{(1)}}$ 35.3812 A $^{\$}$ 7.303	By Stock Purchase Plan									
common stock				39,736 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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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Other Director 10% Owner Officer

**Humenesky Gregory** 

Exec. Vice Pres/Human Resource

### **Signatures**

/s/ Gregory Humenesky By: Michael A. Carter, Atty-in-Fact

10/30/2006

\*\*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).

On October 27, 2006, the Pier 1 Imports, Inc. Stock Purchase Plan purchased, in a transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3, 35.3812 shares of the common stock for the reporting person's account. Such shares were purchased at approximately \$7.3050 per share, the average of the closing prices of the Issuer's common stock on the New York Stock Exchange for each Friday in the month of October 2006 for which contributions were credited to the reporting person's account for the purchase of common stock.

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