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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * GREEN EQUITY INVESTORS III LP | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol RITE AID CORP [RAD] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | |
|---|---|---|--|--|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction | | | | |
| 11111 SANTA MONICA BOULEVARD, SUITE 2000 | (Month/Day/Year) 09/27/2013 | Director 10% Owner Officer (give titleX Other (specification) below) Affiliate of director | | | |
| (Street) | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person | | | |
| LOS ANGELES, CA 90025 | | _X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | |

| (City) | (State) | (Zip) Tak | ole I - Non- | Derivative Secu | urities | Acquir | ed, Disposed of, | or Beneficiall | y Owned |
|-----------------|---------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------|---------|-------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|
| 1.Title of | 2. Transaction Date | | 3. | 4. Securities A | • | d (A) | 5. Amount of | 6. | 7. Nature of |
| Security | (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if | Transaction Disposed of (D) | | | | Securities | Ownership | Indirect |
| (Instr. 3) | | any (Month/Day/Year) | Code (Instr. 8) | (Instr. 3, 4 and | . 3) | | Beneficially Owned | Form: Direct (D) | Beneficial Ownership |
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| | | | | | (4) | | Reported | (I) | · · · |
| | | | | | (A) | | Transaction(s) | (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | Code V | Amount | (D) | Price | (Instr. 3 and 4) | | |
| Common Stock | 09/27/2013 | <u>(1)</u> | S | 34,000,000 (2) | D | \$ 4.49 (3) | 6,000,000 <u>(4)</u> (5) | 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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| 1. Title of | 2. | 3. Transaction Date | 3A. Deemed | 4. | 5. | 6. Date Exer | cisable and | 7. Titl | e and | 8. Price of | 9. Nu |
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| Derivative | Conversion | (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if | Transacti | onNumber | Expiration D | ate | Amou | nt of | Derivative | Deriv |
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| | | | | | | Date | Expiration | Title | Number | | |
| | | | | | | Exercisable | Date | | of | | |
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | | | | Shares | | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-----------------------|--|--|--|
| reporting of the Fundament | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| GREEN EQUITY INVESTORS III LP 11111 SANTA MONICA BOULEVARD SUITE 2000 LOS ANGELES, CA 90025 | | | | Affiliate of director | | | |
| GEI CAPITAL III LLC 11111 SANTA MONICA BOULEVARD SUITE 2000 LOS ANGELES, CA 90025 | | | | Affiliate of director | | | |
| LEONARD GREEN PARTNERS LP 11111 SANTA MONICA BOULEVARD SUITE 2000 LOS ANGELES, CA 90025 | | | | Affiliate of director | | | |
| LGP MANAGEMENT INC 11111 SANTA MONICA BOULEVARD SUITE 2000 LOS ANGELES, CA 90025 | | | | Affiliate of director | | | |
| GRAND AVENUE ASSOCIATES LP 11111 SANTA MONICA BOULEVARD SUITE 2000 LOS ANGELES, CA 90025 | | | | Affiliate of director | | | |
| GRAND AVENUE CAPITAL CORP 11111 SANTA MONICA BOULEVARD SUITE 2000 LOS ANGELES, CA 90025 | | | | Affiliate of director | | | |
| GREEN EQUITY INVESTORS SIDE III LP 11111 SANTA MONICA BOULEVARD SUITE 2000 | | | | Affiliate of director | | | |

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Signatures

/s/ Cody Franklin, as Chief Financial Officer of Green Equity Investors III, L.P.

10/01/2013

**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) Not applicable.
- (2) Represents shares sold by Green Equity Investors III LP ("GEI III") and Green Equity Investors Side III LP ("GEI Side III").
- (3) GEI III and GEI Side III disposed of 34,000,000 shares of common stock for \$4.49 per share in a block trade.
 - GEI Capital III LLC ("GEIC") is the general partner of GEI III and GEI Side III. Grand Avenue Associates LP ("Grand Avenue") is a limited partner of GEI III. Grand Avenue Capital Corp ("GACC") is the general partner of Grand Avenue. Leonard Green Partners LP ("LGP") is the management company of GEI III and GEI Side III and an affiliate of GEIC, Grand Avenue and GACC. LGP Management
- (4) Inc ("LGPM") is the general partner of LGP. Mr. Baumer is a director of the Issuer and a partner of LGP. As disclosed by the Issuer on a Form 8-K filed on September 27, 2013, and by the Reporting Persons' Amendment No. 7 to Schedule 13D, filed on October 1, 2013, Mr. Baumer is resigning as a director of the Issuer effective as of the settlement of the exchange offer. Following Mr. Baumer's resignation, the Reporting Persons will no longer be subject to Section 16.
 - GEI III and GEI Side III are the direct owners of the shares reported on this row. GEIC, Grand Avenue, GACC, LGP, and LGPM directly (whether through ownership or position) or indirectly through one or more intermediaries, may be deemed for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, to be an indirect beneficial owner of the shares owned by GEI III and GEI Side III.
- (5) Each of the Reporting Persons disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares reported herein (other than, with respect to GEI III and GEI Side III, the shares each owns directly), except to the extent of its pecuniary interest therein, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that any of the foregoing are the beneficial owners of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purposes.

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