

RETAIL VENTURES INC  
Form 3  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section  
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

<p>1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *</p> <p>Â Schottenstein RVI LLC</p> <p>(Last) (First) (Middle)</p> <p>3241 WESTERVILLE ROAD</p> <p>(Street)</p> <p>COLUMBUS,Â OHÂ 432243751</p> <p>(City) (State) (Zip)</p>	<p>2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)</p> <p>05/30/2008</p>	<p>3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol</p> <p>RETAIL VENTURES INC [RVI]</p>	<p>4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer</p> <p>(Check all applicable)</p> <p>___ Director ___X___ 10% Owner</p> <p>___ Officer ___ Other</p> <p>(give title below) (specify below)</p>	<p>5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)</p>	<p>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)</p> <p>__X__ Form filed by One Reporting Person</p> <p>___ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person</p>
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock, without par value	17,946,766	D	Â

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. SEC 1473 (7-02)

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable      Expiration Date	Title      Amount or Number of			

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			Shares	(I) (Instr. 5)
Term Loan Warrant <sup>(1)</sup>	^ <sup>(2)</sup>	06/11/2012	Common Stock, without par value	1,731,460 \$ 4.5 D ^

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Schottenstein RVI LLC 3241 WESTERVILLE ROAD COLUMBUS, OH 432243751	^	^ X	^	^

## Signatures

By: By: Robert J. Tannous,  
Attorney-in-Fact for

06/02/2008

<sup>\*\*</sup>Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) Pursuant to the anti-dilution adjustment provisions of the term loan warrant as amended on July 5, 2005, Schottenstein RVI, LLC has a right to acquire an additional 342,709 common shares of the Issuer.

(2) Immediate

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### Remarks:

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit 24 - Power of Attorney

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