FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Lein Charles D						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol CHARLES & COLVARD LTD [ CTHR ]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  X Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O CHARLES & COLVARD LTD.						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/09/2011									Λ	Officer (give title below)			(specify	
300 PERIMETER PARK DR., STE A  (Street)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person					
MORRISVILLE NC 27560  (City) (State) (Zip)															Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
		Tabl	e I - Nor	-Deriv	ative	Se	curitie	s Acc	quired,	Dis	osed o	f, or	Bene	eficia	ally C	Dwne	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						Exec Day/Year) if any		A. Deemed xecution Date, any Month/Day/Year)					ities Acquired (A) d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			Securi Benefi	cially I Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
							v	Amount	(A (I	A) or D)	Price	. 1	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(1130.14)				
common stock 08/09/									P		1,100		A \$		2.1 166,702		66,702	D		
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)	vative Conversion Date Execution or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			Date, y/Year) _	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) o Dispo of (D) (Instr	of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date Month/Day/Year)  Date Expiration Exercisable Date			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)  Amoun or Numbe of		-		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	

**Explanation of Responses:** 

/s/ Timothy Krist, Attorney-In-

**Fact** 

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

08/11/2011
Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- \* 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).

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