FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP	OMB Number:	3235-0		

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Butler Anne M				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CHARLES & COLVARD LTD [ CTHR ]										Check a	onship of Repo Il applicable) Director		10% C	wner		
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O CHARLES & COLVARD, LTD.						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/23/2013										Officer (give title below)		Other below)	(specify	
300 PERIMETER PARK DRIVE, STE A					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
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		Tabl	e I - Noi	n-Deriv	ative	Se	curitie	s Acc	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or	Ben	efici	ally O	wned				
Da			Date	ate Month/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Dispose Code (Instr. 5)		Disposed	ities Acquired (A) d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			nd S B C	Securities Beneficially		. Ownership form: Direct D) or Indirect ) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
										v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	,  т	ransaction(s) nstr. 3 and 4)	saction(s)		(	
Common Stock 05/23					/2013			A		12,853	S <sup>(1)</sup> A \$		\$0 38,257			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)	Derivative Conversion Date Execution Date, I Security or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		n of		6. Date E Expiratio (Month/D	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)			8. Pric Deriva Securi (Instr.	tive derivativ	e s Illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				
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## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. This grant of restricted stock will vest on the date of the 2014 Annual Shareholders' Meeting.

/s/ Timothy L. Krist, attorney-

05/28/2013

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\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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).
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