FORM 3

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

## INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     MAHONEY JOHN				2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 12/13/2013			3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Burlington Stores, Inc. [ BURL ]							
(Last) 1830 ROUTE 130 NO	330 ROUTE 130 NORTH  ireet)  URLINGTON NJ 08016				Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     X Director     Officer (give title below)			10% Owner Other (specify below)		5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)				
(Street) BURLINGTON										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 Beneficially Owned														
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)						2. Amount o (Instr. 4)	f Securities Beneficially Owned		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)			
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 Der (Instr. 4)		Derivativ	ive Security	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		5. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)	
				Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title		- 1	Amount or Number of Shares	Security				

Explanation of Responses:

No securities are beneficially owned.

/s/ Paul Tang, as Attorney-In-Fact for John J. Mahoney

12/18/2013

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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\*If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5 (b)(v).

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POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR SECTION 16 REPORTING OBLIGATIONS

KNOW ALL BY THESE PRESENTS, that the undersigned hereby makes, constitutes and appoints Paul Tang, Christopher Schaub, Angela Curry and Stacy Haigney, signing (1) prepare, execute, acknowledge, deliver and file Forms 3, 4, and 5 (including any amendments thereto) with respect to the securities of Burlington Stores, Inc., a (2) seek or obtain, as the undersigned's representative and on the undersigned's behalf, information of transactions in the Company's securities from any third party (3) perform any and all other acts which in the discretion of such attorneys-in-fact are necessary or desirable for and on behalf of the undersigned in connection will the undersigned acknowledges that:

The undersigned acknowledges that:

(1) this Power of Attorney authorizes, but does not require, such attorneys-in-fact to act in their discretion on information provided to such attorneys-in-fact with (2) any documents prepared and/or executed by such attorneys-in-fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney will be in such form and will company nor such attorneys-in-fact assumes (i) any liability for the undersigned's responsibility to comply with the requirement of the Exchange Act, (4) this Power of Attorney does not relieve the undersigned from responsibility for compliance with the undersigned's obligations under the Exchange Act, including we make the undersigned hereby gives and grants the foregoing attorneys-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform all and every act and thing whatsoever requirements. This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to such attorneys-in-fact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 13th day of December, 2013.

/s/ John J. Mahoney Signature

John J. Mahoney Print Name

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