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## April 21, 2003

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549
FORM 3 INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

 Name and Address of Reporting Person ALBERTINI, WILLIAM O. 450 WINKS LANE

BENSALEM, PA 19020

- 2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 4/21/03
- 3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (Voluntary)
- 4. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CHARMING SHOPPES, INC. (CHRS)
- 5. Relationship of Reporting Person to Issuer (Check all applicable)

[X] Director [ ] 10% Owner

- [ ] Officer (give title below) [ ] Other (specify below)
- 6. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)
- 7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
  - [X] Form filed by One Reporting Person
  - [ ] Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

1) Title of Security	2)Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned	3) D or I	4) Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
Common Stock	35,000	D	Direct
Table II Derivative Securitites Beneficially Owned			

1) Title of Derivative Security 2) Date Exercisable 3) Title and Amount of

and Expiration Date Securities Underlying (Month/Day/Year) Derivative Security

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