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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] Montgomery Graciela | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>CALAVO GROWERS INC</u> [CVGW] | | tionship of Reporting Pers all applicable) Director | 10% Owner |
|---|---------|----------|--|------------------------|--|--|
| (Last) C/O CALAVO G 1141-A CUMMI | , | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/01/2022 | - X | Officer (give title below) Chief Human Resour | Other (specify below) rces Officer |
| (Street) SANTA PAULA | | 93060 | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | 6. Indiv Line) X | idual or Joint/Group Filing Form filed by One Repc Form filed by More than Person | orting Person |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | tive Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Benefi | icially (| Owned | |

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, Transaction Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | | |
|---------------------------------|--|--|------|---|---|---|---|------------------------------------|---|-----------|
| | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | (1150. 4) |
| Common Stock | 11/01/2022 | | М | | 623 | Α | (1) | 623 | D | |
| Common Stock | 11/01/2022 | | F | | 185 | D | \$34.6 | 438 | D | |

| Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned |
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| (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) |

| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transa Code (8) | | of E | | Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---|---|--|---|------------------------------|---|------|-----|-------------------------------------|--------------------|--|--|---|--|--|--|
| | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | |
| Restricted Stock Units | (1) | 11/01/2022 | | М | | | 623 | (2) | (2) | Common Stock | 623 | \$ <u>0</u> | 1,244 | D | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of CVGW common stock.

2. The restricted stock units vest in three equal annual installments beginning November 1, 2022.

/s/ Graciela Montgomery

** Signature of Reporting Person

11/02/2022

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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