FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  BRUNO ARTHUR J					2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol CALAVO GROWERS INC [ CVGW ]									heck all ap	pplicable) ector		Owner	
(Last) (First) (Mindle) L						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/07/2003										icer (give title Oth low) below Chief Financial Office		(specify
(Street) SANTA			92705 Zip)		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/							7)		ne) X For For	m filed by On	o Filing (Check A e Reporting Per re than One Re	son
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Da					Execution Date,			Code (Instr. 5)						d Secu Bene	ficially ed Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Code	v	Amount (A) or (D)		A) or D)	Price	Trans	action(s) . 3 and 4)		(IIISU. 4)
Common Stock 11/07				<mark>7/200</mark> 3	2003		J <sup>(1)</sup>		192,308		Α	(1)	1	.92,308	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)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security  Date (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		ative rities ired osed	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)  Date Expiration Date Expiration Date			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)  Amour or Numbe of Title Shares		ount nber	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		

## Explanation of Responses:

1. Acquired shares of common stock of Issuer in exchange for stock of Maui Fresh International, Inc. pursuant to a merger on November 7, 2003. The common stock of Issuer had a purchase price of \$7.02 per share pursuant to the merger agreement with the Issuer.

/s/ Arthur J. Bruno

11/07/2003

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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