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* STEPHENS GROUP INC						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CONNS INC [CONN]											o of Reportin dicable) ctor	g Per	. ,	
(Last)	(F TER STR	,	Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/26/2004											Officer (give title below)		Other below)	(specify
(Street) LITTLE (City)	ROCK A		72201 Zip)		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Checkline) X Form filed by One Reporting Form filed by More than One Reporting Person										orting Pers	on			
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
Date					Day/Year) if		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code (Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5)			4 and Secur Benef Owne		cially I 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)	Pric	е	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(msu. 4)
Common Stock 08/					5/2004				J ⁽¹⁾		3,255	5	A	\$	30		35,034		D	
Common Stock																1,0)21,538		I	By voting trust
	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)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		Date (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) Track (Month/Day/Year) 8)		Transaction Code (Instr.		of		6. Date E: Expiratio (Month/D	n Date)	nd 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		str. 3			9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transactions (Instr. 4)	F C C	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)			Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Nun of Sha	ber						

Explanation of Responses:

1. Pro rata distribution from Stephens Investment Partners 2000C LLC, of which the reporting person is a non-managing member.

Remarks:

<u>Todd Ferguson</u>, as attorney in <u>fact for reporting person</u>

08/30/2004

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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