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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * <u>ALBERINI CARLOS</u> <hr/> (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>15 KOCH ROAD, SUITE J</u> <hr/> (Street) <u>CORTE MADERA CA 94925</u> <hr/> (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 11/01/2012	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>Restoration Hardware Holdings Inc [RH]</u>	
		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below) <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Chief Executive Officer</u></p>	5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 11/01/2012 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock	1,405,480	D	
Common Stock	406,819	I	By Trust ⁽¹⁾

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 Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		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	Amount or Number of Shares			
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(2)	11/01/2022	Common Stock	2,976,826	46.5	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- By Carlos E. Alberini as trustee of the Carlos E. Alberini Family Trust, dated November 1, 2012.
- Option is fully vested, and the underlying shares are subject to stock price performance-based selling restrictions, which, subject to continuous service, will lapse with respect to 1/12th of the shares when the ten day trailing average price of the Company's common stock exceeds \$50.75 per share for at least 10 consecutive trading days, and which will lapse with respect to additional 1/12ths of the shares when the ten day trailing average price of the Company's common stock reaches a price per share of \$57.00, \$63.25, \$69.25, \$75.00, \$80.75, \$86.25, \$91.75, \$96.75, \$102.00, \$106.75 and \$111.25 for 10 consecutive trading days, respectively.

Glenda Citragno as Attorney-in-Fact 11/05/2012

** Signature of Reporting Person 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 5 (b)(v).

** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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