

CHARLOTTE RUSSE HOLDING INC  
 Form 3  
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**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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 Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section  
 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

<p>1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *</p> <p>Â Advent CR, Inc.</p> <p>(Last) (First) (Middle)</p> <p>C/O ADVENT INTERNATIONAL CORPORATION,Â 75 STATE STREET, 29TH FLOOR</p> <p>(Street)</p> <p>BOSTON,Â MAÂ 02109</p> <p>(City) (State) (Zip)</p>	<p>2. Date of Event Requiring Statement</p> <p>(Month/Day/Year)</p> <p>09/29/2009</p>	<p>3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol</p> <p>CHARLOTTE RUSSE HOLDING INC [CHIC]</p>	<p>4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer</p> <p>(Check all applicable)</p> <p>___ Director    <u>X</u> 10% Owner          ___ Officer    ___ Other          (give title below) (specify below)</p>	<p>5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)</p>	<p>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)</p> <p>___ Form filed by One Reporting Person  <u>X</u> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person</p>
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**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	18,001,964	D <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u> <u>(3)</u> <u>(4)</u>	Â

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

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**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	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying	4. Conversion	5. Ownership	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
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(Month/Day/Year)	Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	(Instr. 5)
Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Advent CR, Inc. C/O ADVENT INTERNATIONAL CORPORATION 75 STATE STREET, 29TH FLOOR BOSTON, MA 02109	^	^ X	^	^
Advent CR Cayman Limited Partnership C/O ADVENT INTERNATIONAL CORPORATION 75 STATE STREET, 29TH FLOOR BOSTON, MA 02109	^	^ X	^	^
ADVENT INTERNATIONAL GPE VI LP C/O ADVENT INTERNATIONAL CORP 75 STATE STREET, 29TH FLOOR BOSTON, MA 02109	^	^ X	^	^
ADVENT INTERNATIONAL CORP/MA C/O ADVENT INTERNATIONAL CORPORATION 75 STATE STREET, 29TH FLOOR BOSTON, MA 02109	^	^ X	^	^
ADVENT INTERNATIONAL GPE VI-A LP C/O ADVENT INTERNATIONAL CORP 75 STATE STREET, 29TH FLOOR BOSTON, MA 02109	^	^ X	^	^
ADVENT INTERNATIONAL GPE VI-B LP C/O ADVENT INTERNATIONAL CORP 75 STATE STREET, 29TH FLOOR BOSTON, MA 02109	^	^ X	^	^
ADVENT INTERNATIONAL GPE VI-C LP C/O ADVENT INTERNATIONAL CORP 75 STATE STREET, 29TH FLOOR BOSTON, MA 02109	^	^ X	^	^
ADVENT INTERNATIONAL GPE VI-D LP C/O ADVENT INTERNATIONAL CORP 75 STATE STREET, 29TH FLOOR BOSTON, MA 02109	^	^ X	^	^
ADVENT INTERNATIONAL GPE VI-E LP C/O ADVENT INTERNATIONAL CORP	^	^ X	^	^

75 STATE STREET, 29TH FLOOR  
BOSTON, MA 02109

ADVENT INTERNATIONAL GPE VI-F LP  
C/O ADVENT INTERNATIONAL CORP  
75 STATE STREET, 29TH FLOOR  
BOSTON, MA 02109

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## Signatures

SEE EXHIBIT  
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\*\*Signature of  
Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* 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).
- (1) Represents the shares of Common Stock of Charlotte Russe Holding, Inc. directly owned by Advent CR, Inc. ("Purchaser"). All other entities or persons are included within this report due to their affiliation with Purchaser.  
  
The shares of Common Stock of Charlotte Russe may be deemed to be indirectly beneficially owned by the following, all of which are Reporting Persons: (a) Advent CR Holdings, Inc., the sole stockholder of Purchaser ("Parent"), (ii) Advent CR Cayman Limited Partnership, the controlling stockholder of Parent ("Advent Cayman"), (iii) Advent International GPE VI Limited Partnership ("GPE VI"), Advent International GPE VI-A Limited Partnership ("GPE VI-A"), Advent International GPE VI-B Limited Partnership ("GPE VI-B"), Advent International GPE VI-C Limited Partnership ("GPE VI-C"), Advent International GPE VI-D Limited Partnership ("GPE VI-D"), Advent International GPE VI-E Limited Partnership ("GPE VI-E"), Advent International GPE VI-F Limited Partnership ("GPE VI-F"), Advent International GPE VI-G Limited Partnership ("GPE VI-G"),  
  
[Continuation of Footnote 2] Advent Partners GPE VI 2008 Limited Partnership ("AP GPE VI 2008"), Advent Partners GPE VI 2009 Limited Partnership ("AP GPE VI 2009") and Advent Partners GPE VI-A Limited Partnership ("AP GPE VI-A," collectively, the "Advent Funds"), which are the interest holders of Advent Cayman, (iv) Advent CR GP Limited, which is the general partner of Advent Cayman, (v) GPE VI GP Limited Partnership, a Cayman Islands limited partnership ("GPE VI GP"), which is the general partner of GPE VI, GPE VI-A, GPE VI-B, GPE VI-F and GPE VI-G, (vi) GPE VI GP (Delaware) Limited Partnership, a Delaware limited partnership ("GPE VI GP Delaware"), which is the general partner of GPE VI-C, GPE VI-D and GPE VI-E,  
  
[Continuation of Footnote 2] (vii) Advent International LLC, a Massachusetts limited liability company ("Advent LLC," and collectively with GPE VI GP and GPE VI GP Delaware, the "Advent General Partners"), which is the general partner of AP GPE VI-A, AP GPE VI 2008, AP GPE VI 2009, GPE VI GP, and GPE VI GP (Delaware) and (viii) Advent International Corporation, a Delaware corporation and the manager of Advent LLC. The Reporting Persons listed in this footnote disclaim beneficial ownership of the reported Common Stock, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the Reporting Persons listed in this footnote are the beneficial owners of the reported Common Stock for the purpose of Section 16 or any other purpose, except, in each case, to the extent of its pecuniary interest therein.

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### Remarks:

Due to technical limitations in the number of reporting persons that can be included in a single filing, this is the first of two filings referencing identical transactions entered into by the filing group.

See Exhibit 99.1 - Signatures.

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