

STAGE STORES INC  
Form SC 13G/A  
January 14, 2019

**UNITED STATES**

**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

**Washington, D.C. 20549**

**SCHEDULE 13G/A**

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

**(Amendment No. 2)\***

STAGE STORES, INC.  
(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock  
(Title of Class of Securities)

85254C305  
(CUSIP Number)

December 31, 2018  
(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:

- ☐ Rule 13d-1(b)
- ☒ Rule 13d-1(c)
- ☐ Rule 13d-1(d)

\*The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

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The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be “filed” for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (“Act”) or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

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NAME OF REPORTING PERSONS

1. Divisar Partners QP, L.P.

CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF  
A MEMBER OF A GROUP

2. (see instructions)

(a) ☐

(b) ☐

SEC USE ONLY

- 3.

CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF  
ORGANIZATION

- 4.

Delaware

SOLE VOTING POWER

5.0

NUMBER OF  
SHARES SHARED VOTING POWER  
BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH  
REPORTING PERSON WITH  
6.0

7.SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

0

SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

8.  
0

AGGREGATE AMOUNT  
BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH  
REPORTING PERSON

9.  
0

CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE  
AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES  
CERTAIN SHARES

10.  
(SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

o

PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED  
BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)

11.  
0%

TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON (SEE  
INSTRUCTIONS)

12.  
PN

NAME OF REPORTING PERSONS

1. Divisar Capital Management LLC

CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF  
A MEMBER OF A GROUP

(see instructions)

2. (a) ☐  
(b) ☐

SEC USE ONLY

3.

CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF  
ORGANIZATION

4.

Delaware

SOLE VOTING POWER

5.0

NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH	SHARED VOTING POWER
	6.0

7.SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

0

SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

8.0

AGGREGATE AMOUNT  
BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH  
REPORTING PERSON

9.

0

CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE  
AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES  
CERTAIN SHARES

10.

(SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

0

PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED  
BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)

11.

0%

TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON (SEE  
INSTRUCTIONS)

12.

IA, OO, HC

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NAME OF REPORTING PERSONS

1. Mr. Steve Baughman

CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF  
A MEMBER OF A GROUP

(see instructions)

2. (a) ☐  
(b) ☐

SEC USE ONLY

3.

CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF  
ORGANIZATION

4.

United States

SOLE VOTING POWER

5.0

NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH	SHARED VOTING POWER
6.0	



7.SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

0

SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

0

8.

9. AGGREGATE AMOUNT  
BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH  
REPORTING PERSON

0

CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE  
AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES  
CERTAIN SHARES

10. (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

o

PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED  
BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)

11. 0%

12. TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON (SEE  
INSTRUCTIONS)

IN, HC



**AMENDMENT NO. 2 TO SCHEDULE 13G**

Reference is hereby made to the statement on Schedule 13G/A filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission by the Reporting Persons with respect to the Common Stock of the Issuer on February 13, 2018 (the "Schedule 13G/A"). Terms defined in the Schedule 13G/A are used herein as so defined.

The following items of the Schedule 13G/A are amended and restated to read in their entirety as follows:

**If this statement is filed pursuant to §§ 240.13d-1(b), or 240.13d-2(b) or (c), check whether the person filing is a:**

**Item 3.**

(e) ☒ An investment adviser in accordance with Section 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(E)

(g) ☒ Parent Holding Company or control person in accordance with Rule 13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(G)

**Item 4. Ownership**

(i) Divisar Partners QP, L.P.

Amount beneficially

(a) owned: 0

Percent of class: 0%

Number of shares as to

(c) which the person has:

(i) Sole power

to vote or

to direct

the vote: 0

(ii) Shared

power to

vote or to

direct the

vote: 0

(iii) Sole power

to dispose

or to direct

the

disposition

- of: 0  
Shared  
power to  
dispose or  
(iv) to direct  
the  
disposition  
of: 0
- (ii) Divisar Capital  
Management LLC  
(a) Amount beneficially  
owned: 0  
~~Percent~~ Percent of class: 0%  
Number of shares as to  
(c) which the person has:
- (i) Sole power  
to vote or  
to direct  
the vote: 0  
Shared  
power to  
(ii) vote or to  
direct the  
vote: 0  
Sole power  
to dispose  
(iii) or to direct  
the  
disposition  
of: 0  
Shared  
power to  
dispose or  
(iv) to direct  
the  
disposition  
of: 0
- (iii) Mr. Steve Baughman  
(a) Amount beneficially  
owned: 0  
~~Percent~~ Percent of class: 0%  
Number of shares as to  
(c) which the person has:
- (i) Sole power  
to vote or  
to direct  
the vote: 0  
(ii) Shared  
power to  
vote or to  
direct the

- vote: 0  
Sole power  
to dispose  
or to direct  
(iii) the  
disposition  
of: 0  
Shared  
power to  
dispose or  
(iv) to direct  
the  
disposition  
of: 0

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**Item 5. Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class:**

If this statement is being filed to report the fact that as of the date hereof the reporting person has ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than 5 percent of the class of securities, check the following [ X ].

**Item 6. Ownership of More Than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person:**

Not Applicable

**Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on By the Parent Holding Company:**

Not Applicable

**Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group:**

Not Applicable

**Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group:**

Not Applicable

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**Item 10. Certifications:**

Each of the Reporting Persons makes the following certification:

By signing below each Reporting Person certifies that, to the best of its knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect. After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, the undersigned certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Date: January 10, 2019

**DIVISAR PARTNERS QP, L.P.**

By: Divisar Capital Management LLC, its General Partner

By: /s/ Steve Baughman

Name: Steve Baughman

Title: Managing Member

**DIVISAR CAPITAL MANAGEMENT LLC**

By: /s/ Steve Baughman

Name: Steve Baughman

Title: Managing Member

**STEVE BAUGHMAN**

By: /s/ Steve Baughman

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**EXHIBIT A**

Joint Filing Agreement Pursuant to Rule 13d-1

This agreement is made pursuant to Rule 13d-1(k)(1) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Act") by and among the parties listed below, each referenced to herein as a "Joint Filer". The Joint Filers agree that a statement of beneficial ownership as required by Sections 13(g) or 13(d) of the Act and the rules thereunder may be filed on each of his, her or its behalf on Schedule 13G or Schedule 13D, as appropriate, and that said joint filing may thereafter be amended by further joint filings. The Joint Filers state that they each satisfy the requirements for making a joint filing under Rule 13d-1(k).

Dated: January  
10, 2019

DIVISAR  
PARTNERS QP,  
L.P.

By: Divisar  
Capital  
Management  
LLC, its General  
Partner

By: /s/ Steve  
Baughman

Name: Steve  
Baughman

Title: Managing  
Member

DIVISAR  
CAPITAL

MANAGEMENT  
LLC

By: /s/ Steve  
Baughman

Name: Steve  
Baughman

Title: Managing  
Member

STEVE  
BAUGHMAN

By: /s/ Steve  
Baughman

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