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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

KLEIN MICHAEL G

(Last) (First) (Middle)

(Month/Day/Year)

03/07/2019

2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Genius Brands International, Inc. [GNUS]

8383 WILSHIRE BLVD., **SUITE 412**

(Street)

Statement

4. Relationship of Reporting

Person(s) to Issuer

5. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Check all applicable)

10% Owner _X__ Director Officer Other (give title below) (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting

Person

Form filed by More than One

Reporting Person

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial

BEVERLY HILLS, CAÂ 90211

(City) (State)

1. Title of Security

(Instr. 4)

(Zip)

2. Amount of Securities

Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)

Ownership Form:

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

Ownership (Instr. 5) Direct (D)

or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share 55,000

I

SEC 1473 (7-02)

See Note (1)

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** (Month/Day/Year)

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying **Derivative Security** (Instr. 4)

Conversion or Exercise Price of

6. Nature of Indirect Ownership Form of Derivative

Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

Title

Derivative Security: Direct (D) Security

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Secured Convertible Note	08/20/2018	(2)(3)	Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	40,000 (4)	\$ 2.5	I	See Note (1)
Common Stock Purchase Warrant	02/20/2018	02/20/2023	Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	40,000	\$ 3	I	See Note (1)
Common Stock Purchase Warrant	08/15/2019	08/15/2024	Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	40,000	\$ 2.55	I	See Note (1)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Othe		
KLEIN MICHAEL G 8383 WILSHIRE BLVD., SUITE 412 BEVERLY HILLS, CA 90211	ÂX	Â	Â	Â		

Signatures

/s/ Michael
Klein

**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 securities held of record by the Michael G. Klein Living Trust dated 3/25/2002.
- The Secured Convertible Notes became convertible into common stock on the original date of issuance and are convertible into common (2) stock at the option of the holder at any time and from time to time until August 20, 2019, subject to earlier repayment, redemption or conversion in accordance with their terms.
- (3) The Secured Convertible Notes Mature on August 20, 2019, subject to earlier repayment, redemption or conversion in accordance with their terms
- (4) Consists of an aggregate principal amount of \$100,000 of Secured Convertible Notes, which are initially convertible into 40,000 shares of common stock

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