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VISX INC
Form SC 13D/A
April 18, 2001

UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13D

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934
(Amendment No.4)*

VISX, Incorporated
(Name of Issuer)

Common Shares
(Title of Class of Securities)

92844S105
(CUSIP Number)

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Receive Notices and Communications)

April 17, 2001
(Date of Event which Requires Filing of this Statement)

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CUSIP No. 92844S105

1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSON
High River Limited Partnership
S.S. OR I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON

2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP* (a) / /
(b) / /

3 SEC USE ONLY

4 SOURCE OF FUNDS*
WC

5 CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED
PURSUANT TO ITEMS 2(d) or 2(e) //

6 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION
Delaware

NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH:

7 SOLE VOTING POWER
3,245,505

8 SHARED VOTING POWER
0

9 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
3,245,505

10 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
0

11 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON
3,245,505

12 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN
SHARES* //
//

13 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)
5.6%

14 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON*
PN

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1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSON
Barberry Corp.
S.S. OR I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON

2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP* (a) / /
(b) / /

3 SEC USE ONLY

4 SOURCE OF FUNDS*
WC

5 CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED
PURSUANT TO ITEMS 2(d) or 2(e) //

6 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION
Delaware

NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH:

7 SOLE VOTING POWER
2,774,500

8 SHARED VOTING POWER
3,245,505

9 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
2,774,500

10 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
3,245,505

11 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON
6,020,005

12 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN
SHARES*
//

13 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)
10.5%

14 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON*
CO

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SCHEDULE 13D

CUSIP No. 928448105

1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSON
Carl C. Icahn

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S.S. OR I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON

2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP* (a) / /
(b) / /

3 SEC USE ONLY

4 SOURCE OF FUNDS*
WC

5 CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED
PURSUANT TO ITEMS 2(d) or 2(e) //

6 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION
United States of America

NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH:

7 SOLE VOTING POWER
0

8 SHARED VOTING POWER
6,020,005

9 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
0

10 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
6,020,005

11 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON
6,020,005

12 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN
SHARES*
//

13 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)
10.5%

14 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON*
IN

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1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSON
Gail Golden

S.S. OR I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON

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2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP* (a) / /
(b) / /

3 SEC USE ONLY

4 SOURCE OF FUNDS*
PF

5 CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED
PURSUANT TO ITEMS 2(d) or 2(e) //

6 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION
United States of America

NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH:

7 SOLE VOTING POWER
1,990

8 SHARED VOTING POWER
0

9 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
1,990

10 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
0

11 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON
1,990

12 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN
SHARES*
//

13 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)
0.0000345%

14 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON*
IN

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SCHEDULE 13D

Item 1. Security and Issuer

The Schedule 13D filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission on October 20, 2000, relating to the common shares, \$.01 par value (the "Shares"), of VISX, Incorporated, a Delaware corporation (the "Issuer" or "VISX") and amended on November 6, 2000, December 5, 2000 and December 15, 2000, by the Registrants, is amended to furnish additional information set forth herein. All capitalized terms not otherwise defined shall have the meaning ascribed to such terms in the previously filed statement on Schedule 13D.

Item 2. Identity and Background

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Item 2(e) is hereby amended to add the statement set forth on Exhibit 1 hereto.

Item 3. Source and Amount of Funds or Other Consideration

Item 3 is hereby amended to add the following:

The aggregate purchase price of the 500 Shares purchased by Gail Golden, as described in Item 5(c), was \$8,713.52 (including commissions and transaction charges) and the aggregate purchase price of a put on 200 Shares purchased by Gail Golden, as described in Item 6, was \$278.95 (including commissions and transaction charges). The source of funding for these purchases were personal funds of Ms. Golden.

Item 4. Purpose of Transaction

Item 4 is hereby amended to add the following:

On April 17, 2001, Mr. Icahn and his affiliates filed a definitive proxy statement with respect to the solicitation of proxies in favor of their nominees as directors of VISX. The definitive proxy statement is available at the Securities and Exchange Commission's website at <http://www.sec.gov>.

On April 18, 2001, Mr. Icahn delivered a letter to the Issuer addressed to Ms. Davila, CEO of VISX (the "Letter") and issued a press release. A copy of each of the Letter and the press release is filed as Exhibit 2 and Exhibit 3 hereto, respectively, and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 5. Interest in Securities of the Issuer

Item 5 is hereby amended to add the following:

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(a) As of the close of the business day on April 17, 2001, Registrants may be deemed to beneficially own, in the aggregate, 6,021,495 Shares, representing approximately 10.5% of the Issuer's outstanding Shares (based upon the 57,566,531 Shares stated to be outstanding as of March 19, 2001 by the Issuer in the Issuer's Form 14A (Definitive Proxy Statement) filing, filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on March 22, 2001).

(b) Gail Golden has sole voting power and sole dispositive power with regard to 1,990 Shares.

(c) In addition to the transaction described in Item 6 below, the following table sets forth all other transactions with respect to Shares effected during the past sixty (60) days by any of the Registrants. All such transactions were effected in the open market, the table excludes commissions paid.

Name	Date	No. of Shares Purchased	Price Per Share
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Gail Golden	2/26/01	500	\$17.07

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Item 6. Contracts, Arrangements, Understandings or Relationship with Respect to Securities of the Issuer

Item 6 is hereby amended to add the following:

On February 22, 2001, Ms. Golden purchased a put providing her with the right to sell up to 200 Shares at a price of \$15 per Share, which put expires on April 21, 2001.

Item 7. Material to be Filed as Exhibits

1. Statement pursuant to Item 2(e)
2. Letter from Mr. Icahn to Ms. Davila, CEO of VISX, Incorporated dated April 18, 2001
3. Press release dated April 18, 2001

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SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of the undersigned knowledge and belief, each of the undersigned certifies that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Dated: April 17, 2001

BARBERRY CORP.

By: /s/ Carl C. Icahn
Name: Carl C. Icahn
Title: President

HIGH RIVER LIMITED PARTNERSHIP

By: BARBERRY CORP.,
General Partner

By: /s/ Carl C. Icahn
Name: Carl C. Icahn
Title: President

/s/ Gail Golden
GAIL GOLDEN

/s/ Carl C. Icahn
CARL C. ICAHN

[Signature Page of Amendment No. 4 of Schedule 13D with respect

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to VISX, Incorporated]

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