

DICKS SPORTING GOODS INC  
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**FORM 4**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Hennion Jeffrey R.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
DICKS SPORTING GOODS INC  
[DKS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
03/18/2009

\_\_\_\_ Director  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Exec. VP, Chief Marketing Off.

300 INDUSTRY DRIVE, RIDC  
PARK WEST

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

PITTSBURGH, PA 15275

(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)                        | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|--|
|  |                                      |  | Code                           | V   | Amount  | (A) or (D)   | Price  |
| Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share <sup>(1)</sup> | 03/18/2009                           |  | A                              |   | 9,900   | A  | \$ 0   |
| Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share                |                                      |  |                                |   | 1,200   | I  |  |
|  |                                      |  |                                |   |   |  | By children <sup>(2)</sup>                   |

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

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**  
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Stock Option (Right to Buy)                | \$ 13.82   | 03/18/2009                           |  | A                              | 37,500  | <sup>(3)</sup> 03/18/2016                                | Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share                       | 37,500                        |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy)                | \$ 13.82   | 03/18/2009                           |  | A                              | 50,000  | <sup>(4)</sup> 03/18/2016                                | Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share                       | 50,000                        |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships  |
|--|--|
| Hennion Jeffrey R.<br>300 INDUSTRY DRIVE<br>RIDC PARK WEST<br>PITTSBURGH, PA 15275 | Director 10% Owner Officer<br>Exec. VP, Chief Marketing Off. |

## Signatures

/s/ Jeffrey R. Hennion 03/20/2009

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(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) Shares of Restricted Stock subject to vesting.

Shares are held by the reporting person on behalf of children. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of those securities,

(2) and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

(3) Option vests 25% per year over a four year period, on the anniversary of the date of grant.

(4) Option vests in its entirety on fourth anniversary of the date of grant.

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