FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BIG 5 SPORTING GOODS CORP [BGFV]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
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Explanation of Responses:

1. Each of the sales reported on this Form 4 was executed pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan.

Remarks:

GARY S. MEADE

08/19/2003

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- * 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).

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