FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* FRALEY JEFFREY L						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol BIG 5 SPORTING GOODS CORP [ BGFV ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O BIG 5 SPORTING GOODS CORPORATION 2525 E. EL SEGUNDO BLVD					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/13/2004								X Officer (give title below)  SENIOR VP, HUMAN RESOURCES						
(Street) EL SEG		State)	90245 (Zip)	n Doriv	-				of Original				Li	ne) X Fo Fo Pe	rm filed rm filed rson	l by One R	iling (Check A	son	
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D					action	2A. Deemed Execution Date,			3. Transa Code (	Transaction Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4) Code (Instr. 5)			ed (A) or	or 5. Amou		Fo (C	. Ownership orm: Direct D) or Indirect ) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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Employee Stock Option (right to	\$24.61	02/13/2004			A		8,000		(1)	0	2/13/2014	Common Stock, par value \$.01	8,000	(2)		8,000	D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. The options vest in four (4) equal annual installments, commencing on February 13, 2005
- 2. The options were acquired pursuant to an employee stock option grant.

## Remarks:

GARY S. MEADE, ATTORNEY-IN-FACT

02/18/2004

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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