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* KIRK CHARLES P (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O BIG 5 SPORTING GOODS CORPORATION 2525 E. EL SEGUNDO BLVD | | | | | Suer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BIG 5 SPORTING GOODS CORP [BGFV] Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/05/2004 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | | | 5. Relationship of Reportin (Check all applicable) Director X Officer (give title below) SR. VICE PRE | | | 10% Owner Other (specify below) SIDENT & CFO | | Owner (specify FO | |
|--|--|--|----|-------|---|--|------|----------------|-----------------------------|--------------------|-----|---|-----------------------|---------|--|-----------------------|--|---|--|-------------------------|------------|
| (Street) EL SEGUNDO CA 90245 (City) (State) (Zip) | | | | | | and the control of the control | | | | | | | | | | ine) X | Form | Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | |
| Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D | | | | | ır) E | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | | Cod | sactio e (Insti | n Disposed | | | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported | | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | e V | Amount | ount (A) or (D) | | Price | e | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | | | (111311.4) |
| COMMON STOCK, PAR VALUE \$.01 05/05/ | | | | | | /2004 | 2004 | | | S | | 6,870 |) | D | \$ | 25 | 244,730 | | D | | |
| COMMON STOCK, PAR VALUE \$.01 05/05/ | | | | | 2004 | | | | S | | 300 | | D | \$25.04 | | 244,430 | | D | | | |
| COMMON STOCK, PAR VALUE \$.01 05/05/ | | | | | | /2004 | | | | S | | 2,400 |) | D \$25 | | 5.1 | 1 242,030 | | D | | |
| COMMON STOCK, PAR VALUE \$.01 05/05/ | | | | | /2004 | | | | S | s 430 | | | D | \$25.06 | | 241,600 | | D | | | |
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| . Title of Derivative clearity in the country of Exercise instr. 3) 2. Conversion of Exercise instr. 3) 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) 3. Transaction Date (Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | | | | Date, | I. Fransaction Code (Instr. 3) | | of I | | 6. Date Expira (Monti | tion Da | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Ir and 4) | | nstr. 3 | 8. Pric Deriva Securi (Instr. | ative rity . 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction((Instr. 4) | Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |
| | | | | Code | v | | | Date Exerci | sable | Expiration Date | Tit | or Nu of | nount mber ares | | | | | | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

GARY S. MEADE, ATTORNEY-IN-FACT

05/07/2004

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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