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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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Instruction 1(b).

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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			or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940					
	Address of Reporting	Person [*]	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BIG 5 SPORTING GOODS CORP [BGF		ationship of Reporting P < all applicable)	erson(s) to Issuer		
DANHAKL JOHN G				X	Director	10% Owner		
11111 SANTA MONICA BOULEVA	(Middle) ULEVARD	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/17/2004		Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)			
SUITE 2000			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Appli Line)			
(Street)				X	Form filed by One Re	eporting Person		
LOS ANGE	ANGELES CA 90025			Form filed by More th Person	nan One Reporting			
(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 Disposed Of 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	02/17/2004		J ⁽¹⁾		6,384	A	\$0 ⁽¹⁾	53,634 ⁽²⁾	I ⁽²⁾	By Trust ⁽²⁾
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share								12,344	D	

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

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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. Transa Code (8)		of		6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

Explanation of Responses:

1. Distribution from a limited partnership of which the reporting person is a partner.

2. The Danhakl Revocable Family Trust dated 12/16/98 (the "Trust") is the direct owner of 53,634 shares of common stock, par value \$0.01 per share of the Issuer. John G. Danhakl is a director of the Issuer and a trustee of the Trust.

John G. Danhakl

** Signature of Reporting Person

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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