

HIBBETT SPORTING GOODS INC
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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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 *
ROSENTHAL JEFFRY O

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
**HIBBETT SPORTING GOODS INC
 [HIBB]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
451 INDUSTRIAL LANE
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
05/26/2005

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 VP of Merchandising

BIRMINGHAM, AL 35211

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	05/26/2005		M		6,750	A	\$ 7.97 0
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	05/26/2005		S		6,750	D	\$ 34.51 0
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	05/26/2005		M		6,750	A	\$ 5.26 0

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Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	05/26/2005	S	6,750	D	\$ 34.51	0	D
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	05/26/2005	M	13,500	A	\$ 4.67	0	D
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	05/26/2005	S	13,500	D	\$ 34.51	0	D
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	05/26/2005	M	20,250	A	\$ 8.85	0	D
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	05/26/2005	S	20,250	D	\$ 34.51	0	D

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)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.97	05/26/2005		M	6,750	08/19/1999	08/19/2008	Common Stock	6,750
Employee Stock	\$ 5.26	05/26/2005		M	6,750	02/04/2000	02/04/2009	Common Stock	6,750

Option
(right to
buy)

Employee
Stock

Option
(right to
buy)

\$ 4.67

05/26/2005

M

13,500

02/16/2001

02/16/2010

Common
Stock

13,500

Employee
Stock

Option
(right to
buy)

\$ 8.85

05/26/2005

M

20,250

02/21/2002

02/21/2011

Common
Stock

20,250

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
ROSENTHAL JEFFRY O 451 INDUSTRIAL LANE BIRMINGHAM, AL 35211			VP of Merchandising	

Signatures

Jeffrey O.
Rosenthal

05/27/2005

__Signature of
Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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