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FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

ROSSI WALTER

DICKS SPORTING GOODS INC

(Check all applicable)

[DKS]

(Middle)

(Zip)

(Last)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

08/27/2008

_X__ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

300 INDUSTRY DRIVE, RIDC

(First)

(Street)

(State)

PARK WEST

(City)

per share

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

PITTSBURGH, PA 15275

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|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|---------------------------|---|------------------|--------------------------------------|---|----------------------------------|------------|
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any | 3. Transaction Code | 4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial | |
| | | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | | | | Owned | Indirect (I) | Ownership |
| | | | Code V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | (Instr. 4) | (Instr. 4) |
| Common | | | | 1 11110 4111 | (2) | 11100 | | | |
| Stock, par value \$.01 | 08/27/2008 | | P | 15,000 | A | \$ 22.1 | 43,550 | 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 | 2. | 3. Transaction Date | | 4. | 5. | 6. Date Exerc | | 7. Titl | | 8. Price of | 9. Nu |
|-------------|-------------|---------------------|--------------------|------------|------------|---------------|------------|---------|----------|-------------|--------|
| Derivative | Conversion | (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if | Transact | ionNumber | Expiration D | ate | Amou | int of | Derivative | Deriv |
| Security | or Exercise | | any | Code | of | (Month/Day/ | Year) | Under | lying | Security | Secui |
| (Instr. 3) | Price of | | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | Derivativ | e | | Securi | ities | (Instr. 5) | Bene |
| | Derivative | | | | Securities | S | | (Instr. | 3 and 4) | | Owne |
| | Security | | | | Acquired | | | • | | | Follo |
| | , | | | | (A) or | | | | | | Repo |
| | | | | | Disposed | | | | | | Trans |
| | | | | | of (D) | | | | | | (Instr |
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| | | | | | 4, and 5) | | | | | | |
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| | | | | | | | | | Amount | | |
| | | | | | | Data | Evaluation | | or | | |
| | | | | | | Date | Expiration | Title | Number | | |
| | | | | | | Exercisable | Date | | of | | |
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | | | | Shares | | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | | | • | |
|--------------------------------|----------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| ROSSI WALTER | | | | |

300 INDUSTRY DRIVE RIDC PARK WEST PITTSBURGH, PA 15275



Signatures

/s/ Walter Rossi 08/28/2008

**Signature of Person Date

Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).

Relationships

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