

JOHNSON OUTDOORS INC

Form 4

May 20, 2005

FORM 4
UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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may continue.
See Instruction
1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
JOHNSON H FISK

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
JOHNSON OUTDOORS INC
[JOUT]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
555 MAIN STREET
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
12/31/2004

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____ Officer (give title ____X____ Other (specify
below) below)
13(d) Group

RACINE, WI 53403

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Person

(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			
Class A Common Stock	12/31/2004		X		161,667	A	\$ 13.04	161,667	I	As settlor <u>(1)(2)</u>
Class A Common Stock	02/16/2005		P		61,988	A	\$ 20.1	223,655	I	As settlor <u>(1)</u>
Class A Common Stock	05/18/2005		P		55,000	A	\$ 18.08	278,655	I	As settlor <u>(1)</u>
Class A Common	02/16/2005		P		85,000	A	\$ 20.1	85,000	I	By LLC <u>(3)</u>

Stock

Class A
Common
Stock

112,738 D

Class A
Common
Stock77,479 I As settlor ⁽⁴⁾Class A
Common
Stock98,000 I As
shareholder
⁽⁵⁾Class A
Common
Stock176,858 I As trustee
⁽⁶⁾

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 Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Underlying Security
Option (right to buy) ⁽⁷⁾	\$ 13.04	12/31/2004		X		161,667		07/08/2003	01/07/2005	Class A Common Stock	161,667
Class B Common Stock	⁽⁸⁾	02/16/2005		P		18,012		⁽⁸⁾	⁽⁸⁾	Class A Common Stock	18,012
Class B Common Stock	\$ 0 ⁽⁸⁾							⁽⁸⁾	⁽⁸⁾	Class A Common Stock	2,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other

JOHNSON H FISK
555 MAIN STREET
RACINE, WI 53403

13(d) Group

Signatures

/s/ Johnson, H.
Fisk

05/20/2005

**Signature of
Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

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

** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

(1) H. Fisk Johnson reports these shares as settlor and beneficiary of the Gift Trust. Dr. Johnson held the reported option directly until it was transferred to the Gift Trust in a transaction exempt from Section 16 under Rule 16a-13.

(2) H. Fisk Johnson is filing this Form 4 because he may be deemed (but does not hereby admit that he is) part of a 13(d) group that owns more than 10% of Johnson Outdoors outstanding common stock. This Form 4 reports the shares of Johnson Outdoors common stock in which Dr. Johnson may be deemed to have a pecuniary interest under Rule 16a-1(a)(2).

(3) H. Fisk Johnson reports these shares as settlor and beneficiary of the H. Fisk Johnson Third Party Gift and Inheritance Trust (the "Gift Trust"), which is the managing member of the HFJ III Family Line Investments LLC, Series II (the "HFJ LLC"). Dr. Johnson disclaims beneficial ownership of all shares held by the HFJ LLC in which he does not have a pecuniary interest.

(4) H. Fisk Johnson reports these shares as settlor and beneficiary of the H. Fisk Johnson Revocable Trust (the "Trust"), which beneficially owns the reported shares directly, or indirectly as a shareholder of certain corporations and as the general partner of certain limited partnerships. Dr. Johnson reports all shares held by certain corporations of which the Trust may be deemed to be a controlling shareholder. In addition, Dr. Johnson reports all shares held by certain limited partnerships of which the Trust is a general partner. Due to the nature of such limited partnerships, it is impractical to determine the Trust's proportionate interest (as defined by Rule 16a-1(a)(2)(ii)(B)) in such limited partnerships. Dr. Johnson disclaims beneficial ownership of all shares directly or indirectly held by the Trust in which he does not have a pecuniary interest.

(5) H. Fisk Johnson reports these shares as the controlling shareholder of a corporation, which beneficially owns the reported shares directly. Dr. Johnson disclaims beneficial ownership of all shares held by the corporation in which he does not have a pecuniary interest.

(6) H. Fisk Johnson reports these shares as the sole trustee of certain trusts for Johnson family members, which beneficially own the reported shares directly. Dr. Johnson disclaims beneficial ownership of all shares held by the trusts in which he does not have a pecuniary interest.

(7) Stock option granted pursuant to that certain Option Agreement, dated July 8, 2003, by and among the Samuel C. Johnson 1988 Trust Number 1 dated September 14, 1988, as amended and restated, Helen P. Johnson Leipold, S. Curtis Johnson, H. Fisk Johnson and Winifred J. Marquart.

(8) Class B Common Stock is convertible at any time on a one-share-for-one-share basis into Class A Common Stock.

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