Maynard Steven M Form 4 April 02, 2012

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

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** Maynard Steven M			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) (First) (Middl		(Middle)	STURM RUGER & CO INC [RGR] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
C/O STURM RUGER & CO INC.,, 1 LACEY PLACE			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specibelow) below) VP of Lean Business Dev.			
			04/02/2012				
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
SOUTHPORT, CT 06890			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I. Nov. Doctor Committee Acc				

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative S	Securi	ities Acquir	ed, Disposed of,	or Beneficially	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securitie ord Disposed (Instr. 3, 4	d of (I	D)	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)
Common Stock	04/02/2012	04/02/2012	S(1)	10,000	D	\$ 50.6785 (2)	18,041	I	with spouse

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)

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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exer	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	orNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amour	nt of	Derivative	Deriv
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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Maynard Steven M C/O STURM RUGER & CO INC., 1 LACEY PLACE SOUTHPORT, CT 06890

VP of Lean Business Dev.

Signatures

/s/ Leslie M. Gasper, attorney-in-fact

04/02/2012

**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) Sale made pursuant to a 10b5-1 plan.
- A total of 10,000 shares were sold in lots on 4/2/12 at a weighted average price of \$50.6785, with actual sales prices ranging from \$49.42 to \$51.27. Additional sales information is available upon proper request.

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