JOHNSON RICHARD A

Form 4 May 16, 2013

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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

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may continue. See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading JOHNSON RICHARD A Issuer Symbol **BIG 5 SPORTING GOODS CORP** (Check all applicable) [BGFV] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director X_ Officer (give title (Month/Day/Year) below)

05/14/2013

C/O BIG 5 SPORTING GOODS CORPORATION, 2525 EAST EL SEGUNDO BLVD

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Executive VP

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10% Owner

Other (specify

Estimated average

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EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	Derivative	Secui	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securion(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	ed of (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, par value \$.01	05/14/2013		M	4,500	A	\$ 8.95	138,240	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.01	05/14/2013		M	4,500	A	\$ 4.82	142,740	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.01	05/14/2013		S	9,000	D	\$ 21.48 (1)	133,740	D	

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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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	Transaction Derivative Code Securities		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)	\$ 8.95	05/14/2013		M	4,500	<u>(2)</u>	03/03/2018	Common Stock, par value \$.01	4,500	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 4.82	05/14/2013		M	4,500	(3)	03/02/2019	Common Stock, par value \$.01	4,500	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
corporating of the control of the co	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Othe	
JOHNSON RICHARD A					
C/O BIG 5 SPORTING GOODS CORPORATION			Executive		
2525 EAST EL SEGUNDO BLVD			VP		
EL SEGUNDO CA 90245					

Signatures

GARY S. MEADE,	
ATTORNEY-IN-FACT	05/16/2013
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

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- * 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).
- Represents the weighted average sale price for multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$21.28 to \$21.76 per share. The undersigned (1) undertakes to provide, upon request by the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (2) These options were granted on March 3, 2008, and vested in four equal installments, with the final vesting date being March 3, 2012.
- (3) These options were granted on March 2, 2009, and vested in four equal installments, with the final vesting date being March 2, 2013.

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