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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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

Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Kurtenbach Matthew John

(First) (Middle)

201 DAKTRONICS DRIVE

BROOKINGS, SD 57006

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

DAKTRONICS INC /SD/ [DAKT]

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

08/31/2017

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

3.

(City) (State) (Zip)

(Street)

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

TransactionAcquired (A) or Code (Instr. 8)

Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Code V Amount (D) Price

4. Securities

(A)

Securities Beneficially Owned Following

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

Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

Issuer

below)

Person

5. Amount of

Director

Applicable Line)

X_ Officer (give title

(I) (Instr. 4)

6. Ownership

Form: Direct

(D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

Indirect

7. Nature of

10% Owner

Other (specify

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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

(Check all applicable)

below) VP of Manufacturing

Estimated average

burden hours per

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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

Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

any

4. 5. Number Transaction Derivative Securities Code

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.	8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)					
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shares
Non-Qualified Stock Option	\$ 9.63	08/31/2017		A		7,500		<u>(1)</u>	08/31/2027	Common Stock	7,50
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 (2)	08/31/2017		A		3,000		(3)	08/31/2027	Common Stock	3,00

Reporting Owners

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

Kurtenbach Matthew John 201 DAKTRONICS DRIVE BROOKINGS, SD 57006

VP of Manufacturing

Signatures

Matthew J.

Kurtenbach 09/01/2017

**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).
- (1) Incentive Stock Options 20% vested each year for a total of five years vesting schedule 8/23/2018, 8/23/2019, 08/23/2020, 08/23/2021, 08/23/2022.
- (2) Each Restricted Stock Unit represents the contingent right to receive one share of Daktronics, Inc. common stock.
- (3) Restricted Stock Units granted on 08/31/2017 vest 20% each year for five years beginning on 08/23/2018. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person as soon as practicable after the date of vesting.

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