#### DICKS SPORTING GOODS INC

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#### 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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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* STERLING GARY M

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

**DICKS SPORTING GOODS INC** 

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

(Middle)

[DKS]

Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify

(Month/Day/Year) 300 INDUSTRY DRIVE, RIDC

PARK WEST

06/15/2005

below) Senior Vice President

4. If Amendment, Date Original

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

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

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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PITTSBURGH, PA 15275

(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 A coror Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and (A or Amount (D	f (D) 15)	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 per share	06/15/2005		M	25,000 A	\$ 2.16	204,497 (1)	D		
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	06/15/2005		S	25,000 D	\$ 36.9774	179,497 (1)	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 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of conDerivative 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 of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 2.16	06/15/2005		M		25,000	01/28/2003	01/28/2009	Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	25,000

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

STERLING GARY M 300 INDUSTRY DRIVE RIDC PARK WEST PITTSBURGH, PA 15275

Senior Vice President

# **Signatures**

/s/ Gary M. 06/17/2005 Sterling

\*\*Signature of 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).

Amount listed does not include 1,000 shares of common stock, par value \$.01 per share, which is held by the reporting person's adult daughter, who still resides in his home. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of those securities, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

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