

HIBBETT SPORTS INC

Form 4

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FORM 4
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
 SECURITIES**

 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,
 Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section
 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
ROSENTHAL JEFFRY O

(Last) (First) (Middle)

2700 MILAN COURT

(Street)

BIRMINGHAM, AL 35211

(City) (State) (Zip)

 2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
 Symbol

HIBBETT SPORTS INC [HIBB]

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

03/20/2017

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

 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
 Issuer

(Check all applicable)

☐ Director ☐ 10% Owner
☒ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)

CEO and President

 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
 Applicable Line)
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting
 Person
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)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share ⁽¹⁾	03/20/2017		M	2,400 A	\$ 0 (2) 81,003	D	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	03/20/2017		F	800 D	\$ 0 80,203	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. 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 of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted stock units (1)	\$ 0	03/20/2017		M	2,400	03/20/2017	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	2,400

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
ROSENTHAL JEFFRY O 2700 MILAN COURT BIRMINGHAM, AL 35211	X		CEO and President	

Signatures

/s/ Jeffry O Rosenthal 03/20/2017

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) Performance-based RSU award under Amended 2005 Equity Incentive Plan. Performance certified achieved by Issuer's Compensation Committee. Units convert to common stock on the third anniversary of the date of grant of 3/18/2014. These shares do not expire.
- (2) Each RSU is the economic equivalent of one share of Issuer's common stock. The reporting person has settled the RSUs for stock.

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