

DICKS SPORTING GOODS INC  
 Form 4  
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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**

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 \*  
**COLOMBO WILLIAM J**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**DICKS SPORTING GOODS INC [DKS]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**07/11/2008**

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

**300 INDUSTRY DRIVE, RIDC PARK WEST**

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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 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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount (D) or Price (A)		
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	07/11/2008		P		1,400 A \$ 15.63	234,958 <sup>(1)</sup>	D
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	07/11/2008		P		1,000 A \$ 15.6244	235,958	D
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	07/11/2008		P		1,881 A \$ 15.62	237,839	D

per share

Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share  
 07/11/2008 P 2,000 A \$ 15.6195 239,839 D

Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share  
 07/11/2008 P 700 A \$ 15.6175 240,539 D

Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share  
 07/11/2008 P 3,019 A \$ 15.61 243,558 D

Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share  
 2,400 I By minor children (2)

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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 6)
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## Reporting Owners

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

COLOMBO WILLIAM J  
300 INDUSTRY DRIVE  
RIDC PARK WEST  
PITTSBURGH, PA 15275

## Signatures

/s/ William J.  
Colombo

07/16/2008

\_\_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) Amount includes 900 shares purchased through the Dick's Sporting Goods, Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan for the period ended June 30, 2008.
  - (2) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of such securities for the purpose of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

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