#### DICKS SPORTING GOODS INC

Form 4

March 14, 2016

## FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * STACK EDWARD W			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol DICKS SPORTING GOODS INC [DKS]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last) 345 COURT	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/10/2016	_X_ Director _X_ 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title _ Other (specify below) Chairman and CEO		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person		
CORAOPOL	IS, PA 1510	08		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	ole I - Non-	Derivative	Securi	ities Acquire	ed, Disposed of, o	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. Securitie onDisposed o (Instr. 3, 4) Amount	f (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)
Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	03/10/2016		M	160,000	A	\$ 13.82	13,240,741 (1)	D	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	03/10/2016		S	139,152	D	\$ 45.5146 (2)	13,101,589 (1)	D	
Common Stock, par	03/10/2016		S	20,848	D	\$ 46.018 (3)	13,080,741 (1)	D	

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value \$0.01 per share											
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	03/11/2016	M	135,000	A	\$ 13.82	13,215,741 (1)	D				
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	03/11/2016	S	135,000	D	\$ 45.8693	13,080,741 (1)	D				
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	03/14/2016	M	50,000	A	\$ 13.82	13,130,741 ( <u>1)</u>	D				
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	03/14/2016	M	135,000	A	\$ 13.82	13,265,741 ( <u>I)</u>	D				
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share						1,689,561	I	By grantor retained annuity trust (5)			
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share						2,176,948	I	By grantor retained annuity trust (6)			
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 $\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$ 

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number of	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and Amount of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	TransactionDerivative		Expiration Date	Underlying Securities
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or		
	Derivative				Disposed of (D)		

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	Security			(Inst	r. 3, 4, and				
			Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount of Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 13.82	03/10/2016	M		160,000	03/18/2013	03/18/2016	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	160,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 13.82	03/11/2016	M		135,000	03/18/2013	03/18/2016	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	135,00
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 13.82	03/14/2016	M		50,000	03/18/2013	03/18/2016	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	50,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 13.82	03/14/2016	M		135,000	<u>(7)</u>	03/18/2016	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	135,000

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address		R	elationships	
<b></b>	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
STACK EDWARD W 345 COURT STREET CORAOPOLIS, PA 15108	X	X	Chairman and CEO	

# **Signatures**

/s/ Edward W.
Stack

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

O3/14/2016

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).

Amount includes 12,200,549 shares of Class B common stock (the "Class B Common Stock"), which is not registered under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended. Holders of Class B Common Stock have identical rights to holders of common stock, except that holders of Class B Common Stock are entitled to 10 votes for each share held of record. Each share of Class B Common Stock is convertible at any time, at the option of the holder, into one share of common stock.

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- Represents the weighted average of multiple sales transactions ranging in price from \$44.95 to \$45.94. Mr. Stack agrees to provide full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price upon request by the SEC staff, the Company or a security holder of the Company.
- Represents the weighted average of multiple sales transactions ranging in price from \$45.95 to \$46.15. Mr. Stack agrees to provide full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price upon request by the SEC staff, the Company or a security holder of the Company.
- Represents the weighted average of multiple sales transactions ranging in price from \$45.66 to \$46.03. Mr. Stack agrees to provide full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price upon request by the SEC staff, the Company or a security holder of the Company.
- (5) These shares are held by the Edward W. Stack Grantor Retained Annuity Trust IV.
- (6) These shares are held by the Edward W. Stack Grantor Retained Annuity Trust V.
- (7) Option vested 25% per year over a four year period, on the anniversary date of the grant.

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