#### ROSENTHAL JEFFRY O

Form 4

March 20, 2013

### FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,

obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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)

(Last)

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

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

HIBBETT SPORTS INC [HIBB]

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/17/2013

(Street)

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

CEO and President

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

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

BIRMINGHAM, AL 35211

451 INDUSTRIAL LANE

(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	ecurit	ies Acc	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly 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 on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	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)	03/17/2013		Code V  M	Amount 15,800	(D)	Price \$ 0 (3)	(Instr. 3 and 4) 41,385	D	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	03/17/2013		F	5,270	D	\$0	36,115	D	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share (2)	03/18/2013		M	7,450	A	\$ 0 (3)	43,565	D	

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Common

Stock, par 03/18/2013 F 3,573 D \$0 39,992 D value \$0.01

per share

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)			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
Restricted Stock Unit	\$ 0 (3)	03/17/2013		M		15,800	03/17/2013	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	15,800
Restricted Stock Unit	\$ 0 (3)	03/18/2013		M		7,450	03/18/2013	(2)	Common Stock	7,450

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ROSENTHAL JEFFRY O 451 INDUSTRIAL LANE BIRMINGHAM, AL 35211

CEO and President

# **Signatures**

/s/ Jeffry O 03/20/2013 Rosenthal

\*\*Signature of Date

Reporting Person

2 Reporting Owners

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# **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. Three year cliff vest from date of grant upon achievement of performance criteria. Grant date 3/17/2010.; performance certified by the Issuer's Compensation Committee. There is no expiration date.
- (2) Performance-based RSU award under Amended 2005 Equity Incentive Plan. Five year cliff vest from date of grant upon achievement of performance criteria. Grant date 3/18/2008.; performance certified by the Issuer's Compensation Committee. There is no expiration date.
- (3) Each RSU is the economic equivalent of one share of the Issuer's common stock, the reporting person has settled the RSUs for common stock.

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