

PRIDDY BRIAN N

Form 4

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FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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1(b).

**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 *
PRIDDY BRIAN N

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

HIBBETT SPORTING GOODS INC
[HIBB]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

451 INDUSTRIAL LANE

(Street)

BIRMINGHAM, AL 35211

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

08/18/2005

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

President

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
____ 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) |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|
| | | | Code | V | Amount | (D) | Price |

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 | 2. Conversion or Exercise | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any | 4. Transaction Code | 5. Number of Derivative Securities | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Am Underlying Sec (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|---------------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|
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| (Instr. 3) | Price of Derivative Security | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | | | | | | | |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------|------------|------------------------------------------------------------------|--------|-----|------------------|--------------------|-----------------|--|--|--|
| | | | Code | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | | | |
| Restricted Stock Units-2005 Equity Incentive Plan (1) (2) | (2) | 08/18/2005 | A | | 6,000 | | 08/18/2010(1) | 08/18/2015 | Common Stock | | | |
| Common Stock Options-2005 Equity Incentive Plan (3) | \$ 37.06 | 08/18/2005 | A | | 10,000 | | 08/18/2006 | 08/15/2015 | Common Stock | | | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|-----------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| PRIDDY BRIAN N 451 INDUSTRIAL LANE BIRMINGHAM, AL 35211 | | | President | |

Signatures

/s/ Brian N.
Priddy

08/22/2005

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) Restricted Stock Units under the 2005 Equity Incentive Plan cliff vest at 100% on the fifth anniversary of the grant date.
- (2) Restricted Stock Unit equals one share of Common Stock upon vesting.
- (3) Options granted under the 2005 Equity Incentive Plan vest over a five year period, in equal installments, beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date.

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