HIBBETT SPORTS INC

Form 4

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Last)

Security

(Instr. 3)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Crudele Anthony F

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

HIBBETT SPORTS INC [HIBB]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

200 POWELL PLACE

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

03/18/2014

X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

(Check all applicable)

below)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

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

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

BRENTWOOD, TN 37027

(City) (State) (Zip) 1.Title of

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Form: Direct Indirect Beneficially (D) or Indirect Beneficial Owned Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 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 Conversion Security or Exercise (Instr. 3) Price of

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

5. Number 4. Transaction of Derivative Expiration Date Code Securities

Acquired

(Instr. 8)

6. Date Exercisable and (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of 8. Pr **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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Derivative (A) or Security Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) Code V (A) (D) Date Expiration Title Amount Exercisable Date orNumber of Shares Restricted 1,759 Common (3) (3) Stock Unit \$0 03/18/2014 1,759

(2)

Stock

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Crudele Anthony F X 200 POWELL PLACE BRENTWOOD, TN 37027

Signatures

/s/ Elaine V

(1)

Rodgers, POA 03/21/2014

**Signature of Reporting Date Person

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).
- Annual equity award to Directors under the 2012 Non-Employee Director Equity Plan (NEDEP); Under NEDEP, Directors can choose **(1)** form(s) of equity. Reporting person chose annual equity award in the form of the restricted stock units.
- The Board of Directors of the Issuer adopted an annual grant value of equity to each independent Director of \$100,000. Grant based on **(2)** Issuer stock price at date of grant of \$56.84.
- (3) The Reporting Owner has elected a vesting date of January 31, 2017. There is no expiration date.

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