

DICKS SPORTING GOODS INC  
 Form 4  
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**FORM 4** UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(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)  
 345 COURT STREET  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 09/21/2016

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

CORAOPOLIS, PA 15108  
 (City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**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)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	09/21/2016		M	20,000 A	\$ 28.23 329,963	D	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	09/21/2016		A	20,000 D	\$ 61.543 309,963	D	
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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)		
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
						Code	V	(A)	(D)
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 28.23	09/21/2016		M	20,000	03/21/2011 <sup>(3)</sup> 03/21/2017	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	20,000	

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
COLOMBO WILLIAM J 345 COURT STREET CORAOPOLIS, PA 15108		X		

## Signatures

/s/ William Colombo 09/23/2016

\*\*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).

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Represents the weighted average of multiple sale transactions ranging in price from \$61.50 to \$61.60. The reporting person agrees to provide full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price upon request by the SEC staff, the Company or any security holder of the Company.

- Shares are held by the reporting person on behalf of his child. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of those securities, and
- (2) this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
  - (3) Option grant for 125,000 shares of common stock vested 25% per year on the first, second, third and fourth anniversaries of the grant date.

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