

HIBBETT SPORTS INC

Form 4

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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 *
NEWSOME MICHAEL J

(Last) (First) (Middle)

451 INDUSTRIAL LANE

(Street)

BIRMINGHAM, AL 35211

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
HIBBETT SPORTS INC [HIBB]

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

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

Executive Chairman

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
☒ 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)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share ⁽¹⁾	03/17/2013		M	24,800 A	\$ 0 (3)	25,340	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	03/17/2013		F	8,271 D	\$ 0	17,069	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share ⁽²⁾	03/18/2013		M	15,000 A	\$ 0 (3)	32,069	D

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Common
Stock, par
value \$0.01
per share

03/18/2013

F 6,840 D \$ 0 25,229 D

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)		8. Amount of Shares (Instr. 5)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Unit (1)	\$ 0 <u>(3)</u>	03/17/2013		M		24,800		03/17/2013	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	24,800
Restricted Stock Unit (2)	\$ 0 <u>(3)</u>	03/18/2013		M		15,000		03/18/2013	<u>(2)</u>	Common Stock	15,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
NEWSOME MICHAEL J 451 INDUSTRIAL LANE BIRMINGHAM, AL 35211	X		Executive Chairman	

Signatures

/s/ Michael J
Newsome

03/20/2013

**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) 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 achieved 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 achieved by the Issuer's Compensation Committee. There is no expiration date.
 - (3) Each RSU is the economic equivalent of one share of company common stock. The reporting person has settled the RSUs for common stock.

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