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value \$.01

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MEADE GARY S			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BIG 5 SPORTING GOODS CORP [BGFV]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Month/				te of Earliest Transaction				Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Senior VP, General Counsel			
	(Street)		4. If Ame	endment, Date Original				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245			Filed(Month/Day/Year)					Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	rities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year) Execution any	n Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (A) or		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)					
Common Stock, par value \$.01	05/13/2013			M	1,000	(D)	Price \$ 4.82	21,500	D		
Common Stock, par	05/13/2013			S	1,000	D	\$ 21.12	20,500	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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	Transaction Derivative Code Securities		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	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 4.82	05/13/2013		M	1,000	<u>(1)</u>	03/02/2019	Common Stock, par value \$.01	1,000	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
MEADE GARY S C/O BIG 5 SPORTING GOODS CORPORATION 2525 EAST EL SEGUNDO BLVD			Senior VP, General Counsel		

Signatures

EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245

GARY S.	05/13/2013			
MEADE	03/13/2013			
**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) These options were granted on March 2, 2009, and vested in four equal installments, with the final vesting date being March 2, 2013.

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