FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* SAXON FRANKLIN N						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CULP INC [CFI]										5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)							
																X	Direc	Director		10% Owner			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1823 EASTCHESTER DRIVE							Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)											icer (give title ow)		Other (specify below)			
							03/21/2012										Chief Executive Officer						
(Street)							4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
HIGH POINT NC 27265																X Form filed by One Reporting Person					on		
(City) (State) (Zip)																	Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				orting		
		Tabl	e I - Nor	n-Deriv	ative	Se	curitie	s Ac	quired	l, Di	sp	osed o	f, oı	Ben	efici	ally	Owne	ed					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D						ar) i	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Cod	Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5)				4 and Secu Bend Own		cially I Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
									Cod	e V		Amount		(A) or (D)	Pric	е	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(msu. 4)		
Common	Stock	1/2012	2012			S			700(1))	D	\$11		259,624			D						
Common	Stock													70,281			I	401(k) Plan					
		Та	ble II - C									sed of, on the second s					wned						
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Day	Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)				6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea				7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr and 4)			Deri Sec	Price of erivative ecurity 1str. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	,	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
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Explanation of Responses:

1. Open market sale pursuant to a 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person in accordance with Rule 10b5-1 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

Kenneth R. Bowling, Attorney-In-Fact 03/22/2012

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

 $Reminder: Report \ on \ a \ separate \ line \ for \ each \ class \ of \ securities \ beneficially \ owned \ directly.$

- * 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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