SEC Form 3

FORM 3

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

OMB APPROVAL

OMB Number: 3235-0104 Estimated average burden hours per response: 0.5

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] CHUMBLEY BOYD BROOKS	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 06/15/2004		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>CULP INC</u> [CFI]					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 101 SOUTH MAIN STREET			4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)			5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		
						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)		
(Street) HIGH POINT NC 27260			President, CVP di	vision	X		y One Reporting Person y More than One erson	
(City) (State) (Zip)								
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned								
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)			2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)				
Common Stock			2,576 ⁽¹⁾	Ι	401(k) Plan		
Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)								
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise	5. Ownership Form:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)	
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	n Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy) ⁽²⁾	09/20/1995	09/19/2004	Common Stock	2,000	9	D		
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy) ⁽²⁾	07/03/1996	07/02/2005	5 Common Stock	3,000	7.75	D		
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy) ⁽²⁾	07/19/1997	07/18/2006	5 Common Stock	2,000	12.13	D		
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy) ⁽²⁾	12/16/1998	12/15/2007	7 Common Stock	2,000	20.25	D		
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy) ⁽²⁾	06/28/2000	06/27/2009	Common Stock	2,000	9.125	D		
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy) ⁽²⁾	03/29/2002 ⁽⁴⁾	03/28/2006	5 Common Stock	3,000	3.03	D		
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy) ⁽²⁾	06/12/2002 ⁽⁴⁾	06/11/2006	5 Common Stock	10,000	4.1	D		
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy) ⁽³⁾	06/21/2003 ⁽⁴⁾	06/20/2007	7 Common Stock	3,500	13.99	D		
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy) ⁽³⁾	06/17/2004 ⁽⁴⁾	06/16/2008	3 Common Stock	3,500	6.61	D		
Incentive Stock Option (righ to buy) ⁽³⁾	06/15/2005 ⁽⁴⁾	06/14/2009	Common Stock	9,000	7.13	D		
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) ⁽⁵⁾	01/01/2006	12/31/2006	5 Common Stock	7,000	1	D		

Explanation of Responses:

1. These shares are held indirectly through units in an investment fund that owns primarily Company shares. The number of shares is an estimated number based on allocations profided by the plan administrator.

2. Employee stock option (right to buy) granted pursuant to the Culp, Inc. 1993 Stock Option Plan in reliance upon the exemption provided by Rule 16b-3(d).

3. Employee stock option (right to buy) granted pursuant to the Culp, Inc. 2002 Stock Option Plan in reliance upon the exemption provided by Rule 16b-3(d).

4. These options vest in four equal annual installments beginning on the date noted.

5. Employee stock option (right to buy) granted pursuant to the Culp, Inc. 1997 Performance-Based Option Plan in reliance upon the exemption provided by Rule 16b-3(d).

Boyd B. Chumbley 06/23/2004 ** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5 (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).

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB Number.