FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

<b>STATEMENT</b>	OF CHANGES	IN BENEFICIAL	<b>OWNERSHIP</b>

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  CHUMBLEY BOYD BROOKS					2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol CULP INC [ CFI ]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner					
(Last) 1823 EA	ast) (First) (Middle) 23 EASTCHESTER DRIVE					of Earli 2016	est Trar	nsaction (M	lonth/	Day/Year)		X Officer below)	ric						
(Street) HIGH POINT NC 27265			4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									ie) X Form i	ividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person					
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Table I - Non-Deriva  1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)				action	ction 2A. Exe ay/Year) if a		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. 4. Secur Transaction Dispose Code (Instr. 5)		ities Acquired (A) o d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a		(A) or	5. Amou Securiti Benefic Owned	int of es ially Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
							, , ,		Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price				[	(Instr. 4)
Common	Common Stock			03/10	/10/2016				М		5,000	)	A	\$8.75(2) 19		),736		D	
Common Stock			03/10/2016		5			M		3,000	(3)	D	\$25.	11 16	16,736		D		
Common Stock				03/11	/11/2016				M		500 <sup>(3</sup>	3)	D	\$26	5 16	,236	D		
Common Stock													13	13,094			401(k) Plan		
		7	able II -	Deriva (e.g., p	tive S	Sec call	uritie s, wa	s Acc	quired, E s, option	Disp	osed of converti	, or l	Benet secur	icially	y Owned				
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/Da	Date,		Transaction Code (Instr.		5. Number n of		ercisa n Date ay/Yea		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative So (Instr. 3 and			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	Own Forn Direc or In (I) (Ir	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisab		Expiration Date	Title	1	Amount or Number of Shares					
Incentive Stock Option (Right to Buy) <sup>(1)</sup>	\$8.75	03/10/2016			М			3,000	06/25/201	12 0	06/25/2017		nmon ock	3,000	\$25.11	2,000		D	
Incentive Stock Option (Right to Buy) <sup>(1)</sup>	\$8.75	03/10/2016			М			500	06/25/201	12 0	06/25/2017		nmon ock	500	\$26	1,500		D	
Incentive Stock Option	\$8.75	03/10/2016			M			1,500	06/25/201	12 0	06/25/2017	Com	nmon	1,500	\$0	0		D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

(Right to Buy)(1)

- 1. Employee stock option (right to buy) granted pursuant to the Culp Inc. 2007 Equity Incentive Plan in reliance upon exemption provided by Rule 16b-3(d).
- 2. This price represents the option pertaining to the acquisition of the company's common stock in connection with the stock option exercise attached in Table II.
- 3. Open market sale pursuant to a 10b5-1 trading plan adopted December 4, 2015 for the Reporting Person in accordance with Rule 10b5-1 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

/s/ Thomas B. Gallagher, Jr. Attorney-In-Fact

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Stock

03/17/2016

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 4 (b)(v).

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