CULP INC Form 4 March 17, 2016

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b). (Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** CHUMBLEY BOYD BROOKS	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
	CULP INC [CFI]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	**			
1823 EASTCHESTER DRIVE	(Month/Day/Year) 03/10/2016	Director 10% Owner _X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Executive VP Upholstery Fabric			
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)			

HIGH POINT, NC 27265

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acqu	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly 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. Securi on(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d of (D)	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	03/10/2016		M M	5,000	A	\$ 8.75 (2)	19,736	D	
Common Stock	03/10/2016		M	3,000 (3)	D	\$ 25.11	16,736	D	
Common Stock	03/11/2016		M	500 (3)	D	\$ 26	16,236	D	
Common Stock							13,094	I	401(k) Plan

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	Secu Acqu (A) o Disp (D)	or cosed of r. 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of 8 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Incentive Stock Option (Right to Buy) (1)	\$ 8.75	03/10/2016		M		3,000	06/25/2012	06/25/2017	Common stock	3,000
Incentive Stock Option (Right to Buy) (1)	\$ 8.75	03/10/2016		M		500	06/25/2012	06/25/2017	Common Stock	500
Incentive Stock Option (Right to Buy) (1)	\$ 8.75	03/10/2016		M		1,500	06/25/2012	06/25/2017	Common Stock	1,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
roporting of their reality realities	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
CHUMBLEY BOYD BROOKS 1823 EASTCHESTER DRIVE			Executive VP Upholstery Fabric				
HIGH POINT, NC 27265			Executive VI epholstery Lubite				

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Signatures

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

03/17/2016

**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) 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.
- 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.

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