Daniel John Michael Form 4 July 16, 2010

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(Last)

Common

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

Daniel John Michael

(First) (Middle)

P O BOX 626, 3525 FAIRYSTONE

**PARK HWY** (Street)

BASSETT, VA 24055

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

BASSETT FURNITURE **INDUSTRIES INC [BSET]** 

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

07/16/2010

(Month/Day/Year)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below) below)

V P, Chief Accounting Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

D

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

Code V Amount

A

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3)

07/14/2010

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

4,000

(3)

(A)

or

(D)

\$

Securities Owned Following

Beneficially Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Ownership Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Price 4,760,2279 (2) 4.38

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)

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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)	5. Number on Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. D Se (I
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Option (1)	\$ 14.73	04/19/2007		A	2,500		04/19/2008	04/18/2017	Common	2,500	
Option (1)	\$ 14.73	04/19/2007		A	2,500		04/19/2009	04/18/2017	Common	2,500	
Option (1)	\$ 14.73	04/19/2007		A	2,500		04/19/2010	04/18/2017	Common	2,500	
Option (1)	\$ 4.38	07/14/2010		A	4,000		07/14/2011	07/13/2020	Common	4,000	
Option (1)	\$ 4.38	07/14/2010		A	4,000		07/14/2012	07/13/2020	Common	4,000	
Option	\$ 4.38	07/14/2010		A	4,000		07/14/2013	07/13/2020	Common	4,000	
Option (1)	\$ 4.38	07/14/2010		A	4,000		07/14/2014	07/13/2020	Common	4,000	

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Daniel John Michael P O BOX 626 3525 FAIRYSTONE PARK HWY BASSETT, VA 24055

V P, Chief Accounting Officer

## **Signatures**

John Michael

Daniel 07/16/2010

\*\*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) Granted under the 1997 Employee Stock Plan which is a Rule 16b-3 plan.

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- (2) Includes shares acquired under the 2000 Employee Stock Puchase plan in transactions exempt under Rule 16b-3 (c).
- (3) Restriction on Sale--Lifted after 3 years continuous service. Earlier upon death or retirement.

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