

LARSON KENNETH R  
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**FORM 4**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
LARSON KENNETH R

(Last) (First) (Middle)

1823 EASTCHESTER DRIVE

(Street)

HIGH POINT, NC 27265

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
CULP INC [CFI]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)

09/01/2010

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially 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. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |  | Code                           | V   | Amount (A) or Price (D)   |  |                                   |
| Common Stock                    | 09/01/2010                           |  | M                              |   | 1,875 A \$ 7.27   | D  |                                   |
| Common Stock                    | 09/01/2010                           |  | M                              |   | 2,000 A \$ 4.59   | D  |                                   |
| Common Stock                    | 09/01/2010                           |  | M                              |   | 2,000 A \$ 5.41   | D  |                                   |
| Common Stock                    | 09/01/2010                           |  | M                              |   | 2,000 A \$ 5.56   | D  |                                   |
| Common Stock                    | 09/01/2010                           |  | M                              |   | 2,000 A \$ 5.79   | D  |                                   |

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of 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. Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Incentive Stock Option (Right to buy) <sup>(1)</sup> | \$ 7.27  | 09/01/2010                           |  | M                              | 1,875   | 10/01/2004 09/30/2014                                    | Common Stock  | 1,875                         |
| Incentive Stock Option (Right to Buy) <sup>(1)</sup> | \$ 4.59  | 09/01/2010                           |  | M                              | 2,000   | 10/03/2005 10/02/2015                                    | Common Stock  | 2,000                         |
| Incentive Stock Option (Right to Buy) <sup>(1)</sup> | \$ 5.41  | 09/01/2010                           |  | M                              | 2,000   | 10/02/2006 10/01/2016                                    | Common Stock  | 2,000                         |
| Incentive Stock Option (Right to Buy) <sup>(2)</sup> | \$ 5.56  | 09/01/2010                           |  | M                              | 2,000   | 10/01/2008 09/30/2018                                    | Common Stock  | 2,000                         |
| Incentive Stock Option (Right to Buy) <sup>(2)</sup> | \$ 5.79  | 09/01/2010                           |  | M                              | 2,000   | 10/01/2009 09/30/2019                                    | Common Stock  | 2,000                         |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                     | Relationships |           |         |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| LARSON KENNETH R<br>1823 EASTCHESTER DRIVE<br>HIGH POINT, NC 27265 |               | X         |         |       |

## Signatures

/s/ Kenneth R. Bowling,  
Attorney-In-Fact

09/01/2010

\_\_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) Employee stock option (right to buy) granted pursuant to the Culp, Inc. 2002 Stock Option Plan in reliance upon exemption provided by Rule 16b-3(d).
- (2) 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).

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