UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): September 8, 2022



Daktronics, Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

South Dakota

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

0-23246

(Commission File Number)

46-0306862

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

201 Daktronics Drive Brookings, SD 57006

(Address of Principal Executive Offices, and Zip Code)

(605) 692-0200

(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

Not Applicable

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

Check the appropriate	box below	if the Form	8-K	filing is	s intended	to s	simultaneously	satisfy	the	filing	obligation	of the	registrant	under	any	of the
following provisions:																

- ☐ Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- □ Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
 - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- ☐ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of each class	Trading Symbol(s)	Name of each exchange on which registered			
Common Stock, No Par Value	DAKT	Nasdaq Global Select Market			
Preferred Stock Purchase Rights	DAKT	Nasdaq Global Select Market			

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (17 CFR §230.405) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (17 CFR §240.12b-2).

Emerging growth company \square

Section 5 - Corporate Governance and Management

Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

(e) On September 8, 2022, the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors of Daktronics, Inc. (the "Company") recommended and the Board of Directors authorized grants of incentive stock options to purchase shares of the Company's common stock and grants of restricted stock units under the Company's 2020 Stock Incentive Plan (the "Plan") to five of the Named Executive Officers as indicated below.

Each of these new incentive stock options vests annually as to 20 percent of the shares subject to the option over five years beginning on the first anniversary of the date of grant, has a ten-year term, is subject to the terms and conditions of the Plan, and has an exercise price equal to the fair market value of the Company's common stock on the grant date, which was \$3.02. Each of the new restricted stock units vest annually as to 20 percent of the shares subject to the restricted stock unit over five years beginning on the first anniversary of the date of grant and is subject to the terms and conditions of the Plan. Copies of the Plan and the forms of agreements under which these options and restricted stock units were granted are on file with the Securities and Exchange Commission as exhibits to the Company's reports.

The following table describes the grants of the options and restricted stock units to the five Named Executive Officers effective on September 8, 2022:

		Incentive Stock Options	Restricted Stock Units		
Name	Title	Shares Underlying Options	Shares Underlying Units		
	President and Chief Executive				
Reece A. Kurtenbach	Officer	24,165	5,400		
Sheila M. Anderson	Chief Financial Officer	11,250	2,500		
Bradley T. Wiemann	Executive Vice President	11,250	2,500		
Matthew J. Kurtenbach	Vice President	11,250	2,500		
Carla S. Gatzke	Vice President	11,250	2,500		

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, hereunto duly authorized.

DAKTRONICS, INC.

By: /s/ Sheila M. Anderson Sheila M. Anderson, Chief Financial Officer

Date: September 9, 2022

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No. Description

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