FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  SANDER DUANE E			<u>D</u>	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  DAKTRONICS INC /SD/ [ DAKT ]										able)		) to Issue 10% Ow Other (sp	ner		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 331 32ND AVENUE PO BOX 5128			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/21/2005									below)			below)				
(Street) BROOKINGS SD 57006			-   4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						Line)	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)      X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person								
(City)	(St	ate)	(Zip)																
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
Dat		Date	Transaction ate onth/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) of Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			5. Amoun Securities Beneficial Owned Fo	i Ily	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	rect li irect E 4) C	. Nature of ndirect seneficial ownership			
								Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				nstr. 4)	
Daktronics, Inc. Zero Par Value Common Stock			03/2	/21/2005				М		36,00	0	A	\$2.59	322,608		08 D			
Daktronics, Inc. Zero Par Value Common Stock			03/2	03/21/2005				F		4,394	4,394		\$21.25	318,214		D			
Daktronics, Inc. Zero Par Value Common Stock														43,260		I	H A	By Child	
Daktronics, Inc. Zero Par Value Common Stock												267,632		I	I S	Phyllis A. Sander Living Trust			
			Table II -								osed of, onverti				Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security  (Instr. 3)  2. Conversion Date Execution Date (Month/Day/Year)  (Instr. 3)  3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)  (Month/Day/Year)		ate, T	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		of I		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amou of Securities Underlying Deriv. Security (Instr. 3		erivative	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	e Ov s Fo ollly Dii or g (I)	vnership rm: rect (D) Indirect (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				c	Code	v	(A)		Date Exercisabl		Expiration Date	Title	•	Amount or Number of Shares					
Daktronics, Inc. Non- Qualified Stock Option	\$2.594	03/21/2005			M			36,000	08/19/1999	(1)	08/18/2005	Inc Par Co	ctronics, c. Zero r Value ommon Stock	36,000	\$2.594	0.000	)	D	

## Explanation of Responses:

 $1.\,33.334\%\ vested\ for\ the\ first\ year,\ 33.333\%\ vested\ each\ year\ for\ the\ remaining\ two\ years\ -\ Remaining\ vesting\ schedule\ -\ 8/19/00-33.333\%,\ 8/19/01-33.333\%$ 

## Remarks:

By: /s/ William R. Retterath, **POA** \*\* Signature of Reporting Person

03/22/2005

Date

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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