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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Maynard Steven M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

STURM RUGER & CO INC [RGR]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(First) (Last)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

C/O STURM RUGER & CO INC.,, 1 LACEY PLACE

(Month/Day/Year) 03/05/2013

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below) below) VP of Lean Business Dev.

(Street)

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

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

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

SOUTHPORT, CT 06890

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

(Middle)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

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

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

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

Reported (A) Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

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

Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

any

4. 5. Number Transaction Derivative Date Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and Expiration (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amoun Underlying Securiti (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3) Price of (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquired Derivative (A) or Security Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) Code V (A) (D) Date Exercisable Expiration Date

Amou

Numl of

Share

3,80

Common

Stock (Right to Buy) (1)

<u>(2)</u> 03/05/2013(3)

3,861 Α

 $02/28/2015^{(3)}$ $02/28/2022^{(3)}$

Common

Stock

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Maynard Steven M C/O STURM RUGER & CO INC., 1 LACEY PLACE SOUTHPORT, CT 06890

VP of Lean Business Dev.

Signatures

/s/ Leslie M. Gasper, attorney-in-fact

03/07/2013

**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) Restricted Stock Units subject to performance-based, time-based and other conditions of the award.
- (2) Securities convert to Common Stock on a one-to-one basis on the date vested in accordance with the terms of the award.
- On March 5, 2013, four business days following the release of the Company's 2012 earnings, the performance-based vesting trigger for the performance-based RSUs awarded in 2012 was determined to have been met, and the awards became reportable for Section 16 purposes. The awards remain subject to a three-year cliff vesting trigger which will be satisfied on February 28, 2015. The awards expire no less than 10 years from their date of grant.

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