## FORM 4

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

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Townsend Douglas</u>				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HOOKER FURNITURE CORP [ HOFT ]								(Ched	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (spec						
(Last) (First) (Middle) POB 4708						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/17/2019								X	Officer (give title below)  Chief Admini		below) stration Officer		·
(Street) MARTINSVILLE VA 24115				4. If	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)	(Si	tate)	(Zip)																
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Common Stock														2,000		000		D	
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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. Deemee Execution I if any (Month/Day	Date,	Code (Inst				6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			of Securities			Price of erivative ecurity nstr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	i S Ily	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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Restricted Stock Unit (RSU)	(1)	04/17/2019			A		1,966		(2)		(2)	Common Stock	1,96	6(3)	\$0	1,966	5	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Each RSU represents a contingent right to receive one share of HOFT common stock.
- 2. The RSUs will vest 100% if the reporting person remains continuously employed with the issuer through April 17, 2022 and will be paid as soon as administratively practical thereafter.
- 3. At the direction of the issuer's Compensation Committee, the RSUs may be paid in shares of HOFT common stock, cash (based on the fair market value of a share of HOFT common stock on the date payment is made) or both.

Robert W. Sherwood Attorney in Fact for Douglas Townsend

04/18/2019

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- $^{\star}$  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).

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