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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Cosentino John A Jr			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol STURM RUGER & CO INC [RGR]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last)	(First) (M		3. Date of Earliest Transaction			(Check all applicable)			
(Month/Da				Month/Day/Year) 5/08/2012			_X_ Director Officer (gives		6 Owner er (specify
(Street) 4. If An			. If Amendment, Date Original				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
SOUTHPOF (City)	Filed(Month/Day/Year)				Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Гable I - Non-D	erivative (Securiti	ies Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		Code	4. SecurionAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	d (A) or d of (D) 4 and 5 (A) or)	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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock (1)	05/08/2012		A	881	A	\$0	33,946	D	

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)

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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. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number proof 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Common Stock (Right to Buy) (2)	(3)	05/08/2012		A	1,017	05/08/2012	05/08/2015	Common Stock	1,017

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
• 5	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Cosentino John A Jr C/O STURM RUGER & CO INC. 1 LACEY PLACE SOUTHPORT, CT 06890	X					

Signatures

/s/ Leslie M. Gasper, attorney-in-fact 05/09/2012

**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) The restricted Stock Vests and becomes exercisable on the date of the Company's 2013 Annual Meeting.
- (2) Restricted Stock Units subject to time-based and other conditions of the award.
- (3) Securities convert to Common Stock on a one-to-one basis on the date vested in accordance with the terms of the award.

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