# FORM 4

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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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e Responses	9)															
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* SHARP DAVID				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ROCKY SHOES & BOOTS INC [RCKY]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 39 EAST CANAL STREET			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/27/2005							X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) President and COO						
(Street) NELSONVILLE, OH 45764				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					
	(State)	(Zip)			Tal	ble I -	Non	-Deri	ivative S	ecurities	Acqui	red, Disp	osed of, or I	Beneficially (	Owned	
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#### **Reporting Owners**

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Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
SHARP DAVID 39 EAST CANAL STREET NELSONVILLE, OH 45764			President and COO					

### **Signatures**

By: Curtis A. Loveland, Attorney-in-Fact	06/01/2005
**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).

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