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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 [*] Johnson David W			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol JOHNSON OUTDOORS INC [JOUT]		ationship of Reporting Pe < all applicable) Director	10% Owner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O JOHNSON OUTDOORS INC. 555 MAIN STREET (Street) RACINE WI 53403 (City) (State) (Zip)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/06/2016		Officer (give title below) Vice President	Other (specify below) and CFO	
			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line) X	, ,		

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	if any	on Date, Transaction Code (Instr.					5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1151114)
Common Stock	12/06/2016		A		1,508(1)	Α	\$ <mark>0</mark>	19,731 ⁽²⁾	D	

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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. Transa Code (8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/N	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

Explanation of Responses:

1. Class A Restricted Shares all of which shares vest on the fourth anniversary of the date of grant (i.e., 12/6/20).

2. Since the date of the reporting person's last ownership report, he transferred 2,337 shares of common stock to his former spouse pursuant to a divorce agreement.

<u>/s/ Eric P. Hagemeier, Esq.,</u>
Power of Attorney
** Signature of Penorting Person

12/08/2016

Date

* Signature of Reporting Person

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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