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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading **Bowman Scott Justin** Issuer Symbol HIBBETT SPORTS INC [HIBB] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify 2700 MILAN COURT 07/29/2017 below) Senior Vice President and CFO (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting BIRMINGHAM, AL 35211 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) any Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Ownership

,		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Owned Following	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share (1)	07/29/2017		M	1,526	A	\$ 0 (2)	5,392	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	07/29/2017		F	509	D	\$ 0	4,883	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)

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	ransaction Derivative ode Securities		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	and 5		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Unit	\$ 0 (2)	07/29/2017		M		1,526	07/29/2017	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	1,526

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Bowman Scott Justin 2700 MILAN COURT BIRMINGHAM, AL 35211

Senior Vice President and CFO

Signatures

/s/ Scott J Bowman 07/31/2017

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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- * 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) Service-based RSU award under Amended 2005 Equity Incentive Plan. Units convert to common stock on the fifth anniversary of the date of grant of 7/29/2012. There is no expiration date.
- (2) Each RSU is the economic equivalent of one share of Issuer's common stock. The reporting person has settled the RSUs for stock.

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