Reid Kevin B. Sr Form 4 August 15, 2011

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Reid Kevin B. Sr

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

STURM RUGER & CO INC [RGR]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

08/12/2011

Director 10% Owner

(Check all applicable)

VP & General Counsel

_X__ Officer (give title below)

_ Other (specify

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4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Person

SOUTHPORT, CT 06890

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned							
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Direct Owned (D) or Following Indirect (I) Reported (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	08/12/2011	08/12/2011	M(1)	3,750	A	\$ 13.39	29,668	D	
Common Stock	08/12/2011	08/12/2011	F(1)	2,636	D	\$ 28.13	27,032	D	
Common Stock	08/12/2011	08/12/2011	M(1)	15,000	A	\$ 8.23	42,032	D	
Common Stock	08/12/2011	08/12/2011	F(1)	8,984	D	\$ 28.13	33,048	D	
Common Stock	08/12/2011	08/12/2011	M(1)	13,000	A	\$ 8.23	46,048	D	

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Common Stock	08/12/2011	08/12/2011	F(1)	7,786	D	\$ 28.13 38,262	D
Common Stock	08/12/2011	08/12/2011	M(1)	4,990	A	\$ 8.69 43,252	D
Common Stock	08/12/2011	08/12/2011	F(1)	3,035	D	\$ 28.13 40,217	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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	ionDerivative Securities		6. Date Exercis Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Y	e	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 13.39	08/12/2011	08/12/2011	M(1)		3,750	04/28/2010	04/24/2017	Common Stock	3,750
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 8.23	08/12/2011	08/12/2011	M <u>(1)</u>		15,000	04/28/2009	04/28/2018	Common Stock	15,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 8.23	08/12/2011	08/12/2011	M <u>(1)</u>		13,000	<u>(2)</u>	04/28/2018	Common Stock	13,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 8.69	08/12/2011	08/12/2011	M <u>(1)</u>		4,990	03/02/2010	03/02/2019	Common Stock	4,990

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Reid Kevin B. Sr C/O STURM RUGER & CO INC.			VP & General				
1 LACEY PLACE SOUTHPORT CT 06890			Counsel				

Signatures

/s/ Leslie M. Gasper, attorney-in-fact

08/15/2011

**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) Represents cashless exercise of vested stock options.
 - The options are exercisable in five annual installments of 13,000 shares each. The first three installments became exercisable on April 28,
- (2) 2009, April 28, 2010 and April 28, 2011, respectively, and the remaining two installments become exercisable on April 28, 2012 and April 28, 2013, respectively.

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