

STURM RUGER &amp; CO INC

Form 4

March 05, 2014

**FORM 4****UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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*See Instruction*  
1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
FIFER MICHAEL O

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O STURM, RUGER & CO.,  
INC., 1 LACEY PLACE

(Street)

SOUTHPORT, CT 06890

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol

STURM RUGER &amp; CO INC [RGR]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)

03/03/2014

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner  
☒ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)  
CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting  
Person

**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 (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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	03/03/2014		M <sup>(1)</sup>	15,393 A	\$ 63.74	23,788 I	with spouse
Common Stock	03/03/2014		F <sup>(1)</sup>	7,489 D	\$ 63.74	16,299 I	with spouse

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of 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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
Common Stock (Right to Buy)	(2)	03/03/2014		M <sup>(1)</sup>	15,393	03/01/2014 11/08/2021	Common Stock 13
Common Stock (Right to Buy) <sup>(3)</sup>	\$ 0 <sup>(4)</sup>	03/03/2014		A	8,677	03/05/2016 <sup>(5)</sup> 03/05/2023	Common Stock 8

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
FIFER MICHAEL O C/O STURM, RUGER & CO., INC. 1 LACEY PLACE SOUTHPORT, CT 06890	X		CEO	

## Signatures

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

03/05/2014

\_\_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) Conversion of restricted stock units upon achievement of time-based vesting requirements, with payroll taxes related to the conversion paid in shares.
- (2) Securities converted to Common Stock on a one-to-one basis on the date vested in accordance with the terms of the award.
- (3) Restricted Stock Units subject to performance-based, time-based and other conditions of the award.
- (4) Securities convert to Common Stock on a one-to-one basis on the date vested in accordance with the terms of the award.

On March 3, 2014, four business days following the release of the Company's 2013 earnings, the performance-based vesting trigger for the performance-based RSUs awarded in 2013 was determined to have been met, and the awards became reportable for Section 16 purposes. The awards remain subject to a three-year cliff vesting trigger which will be satisfied on March 5, 2016. The awards expire no less than 10 years from their date of grant.

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