FORM 4

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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* Casares Rene G. (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O ACADEMY SPORTS AND OUTDOOR INC.	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Academy Sports & Outdoors, Inc. [ASO] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/10/2021	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) SVP, General Counsel				
1800 NORTH MASON ROAD	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)				
(Street) <u>KATY</u> <u>TX</u> 77449 (City) (State) (Zip)		X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
	Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Benef	l ficially 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)			Securities Beneficially	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	05/10/2021		F		32,568 ⁽¹⁾	D	\$33.81	80,256 ⁽²⁾	D	

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

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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)		of		6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/\	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)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

Explanation of Responses:

1. Reflects shares withheld to cover the Reporting Person's tax liability in connection with the vesting of restricted stock units previously granted to the Reporting Person.

2. Includes 53,698 shares of common stock, par value \$0.01 per share ("Common Stock"), issued in settlement of restricted stock units previously granted under the Issuer's 2011 Unit Incentive Plan, or the 2011 Equity Plan, that fully vested due to a Change of Control (as defined in the 2011 Equity Plan) that resulted from the Issuer's secondary public offering that closed on May 10, 2021.

Remarks:

/s/ Janet Morrow, Attorney-in-05/11/2021 <u>fact</u>

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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).

** 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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