FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name ar Ruthers (Last) C/O ACA	Susuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Academy Sports & Outdoors, Inc. [ASO] Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/02/2022										k all appli Directo	cable) or (give title	g Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner Other (specify below) nnichannel		vner					
(Street) KATY (City)	TZ	X .	77449 (Zip)		4. If .	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Ind Line) X	Form f	al or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable orm filed by One Reporting Person orm filed by More than One Reporting erson				
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Da				Day/Year) if		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)			4 and Securit Benefic Owned		es ally Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
								Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)		rice	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(111501.4)		
Common Stock 03/02/					/2022				М		1,069) A		(1)	76,	128 ⁽²⁾		D		
Common Stock 03/02/2				/2022			F		317	D \$3		30.65	75,811			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. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Day	Date,	1. Fransac Code (Ir 3)		n of		6. Date E Expiratio (Month/D	n Date	Amount of		urity [Price of erivative ecurity nstr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	ly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
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Restricted Stock Units	(1)	03/02/2022			М			1,069	(3)	C	3/31/2031	Commor Stock	1,0	069	\$0	3,210		D		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Restricted stock units convert into common stock on a one-for-one basis.
- $2. \ Includes \ shares \ of \ Common \ Stock \ acquired \ under \ the \ Issuer's \ employee \ stock \ purchase \ plan.$
- 3. On March 31, 2021, the Reporting Person was granted 4,279 performance-based restricted stock units. These performance-based restricted stock units vest if certain performance criteria and/or Issuer stock price conditions are met and certified by the Issuer's compensation committee. Following certification of achievement of the performance criteria during fiscal 2021 by the Issuer's compensation committee on March 2, 2022, 25% of this grant vested on March 2, 2022, and the remaining 75% will vest in three equal annual installments beginning on January 31, 2023.

Remarks:

/s/ Gary Holland, Attorney-in-

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** Signature of Reporting Person Date

03/04/2022

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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