

WHITCOMBE JOHN D  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
WHITCOMBE JOHN D

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
LACROSSE FOOTWEAR INC  
[BOOT]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

LACROSSE FOOTWEAR,  
INC., 17634 NE AIRPORT WAY

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
08/16/2012

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

(Street)

PORTLAND, OR 97230

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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(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 (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 Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				(A) or (D)	Price				
				Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price	
Common Stock	08/16/2012		U		37,377	D		\$ 20 0	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)**

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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. 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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. F. Derivative Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Director Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 10.83	08/16/2012		D	5,000	<u>(1)</u>	01/03/2015	Common Stock	5,000
Director Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 10.94	08/16/2012		D	5,000	<u>(2)</u>	01/03/2016	Common Stock	5,000
Director Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 13.27	08/16/2012		D	5,000	<u>(3)</u>	01/02/2017	Common Stock	5,000
Director Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.61	08/16/2012		D	5,000	<u>(4)</u>	01/02/2018	Common Stock	5,000
Director Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 12	08/16/2012		D	5,000	<u>(5)</u>	01/02/2009	Common Stock	5,000
Director Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 13.02	08/16/2012		D	5,000	<u>(6)</u>	01/04/2020	Common Stock	5,000
Director Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 16.73	08/16/2012		D	5,000	<u>(7)</u>	01/03/2021	Common Stock	5,000

Director Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 12.8	08/16/2012	D	5,000	(8)	01/03/2022	Common Stock	5,000	
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## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
WHITCOMBE JOHN D LACROSSE FOOTWEAR, INC. 17634 NE AIRPORT WAY PORTLAND, OR 97230	X			

## Signatures

/s/ John D.  
Whitcombe 08/16/2012

\*\*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) The option, which provided for vesting in five equal annual installments beginning on January 3, 2005, was cancelled pursuant to a merger agreement between the issuer, ABC-MART, INC., a corporation formed under the laws of Japan, and XYZ Merger Sub, Inc., a Wisconsin corporation, dated as of July 5, 2012 (the "merger agreement"), and converted into the right to receive cash in the amount of \$45,850.00, without interest and subject to deduction for any withholding taxes, representing the difference between the exercise price of the option and the price paid per common share in the merger (\$20.00).

(2) The option, which provided for vesting in four equal annual installments beginning on January 3, 2006, was cancelled pursuant to the merger agreement and converted into the right to receive cash in the amount of \$45,300.00, without interest and subject to deduction for any withholding taxes, representing the difference between the exercise price of the option and the price paid per common share in the merger (\$20.00).

(3) The option, which provided for vesting in four equal annual installments beginning on January 2, 2007, was cancelled pursuant to the merger agreement and converted into the right to receive cash in the amount of \$33,650.00, without interest and subject to deduction for any withholding taxes, representing the difference between the exercise price of the option and the price paid per common share in the merger (\$20.00).

(4) The option, which provided for vesting in four equal annual installments beginning on January 2, 2008, was cancelled pursuant to the merger agreement and converted into the right to receive cash in the amount of \$11,950.00, without interest and subject to deduction for any withholding taxes, representing the difference between the exercise price of the option and the price paid per common share in the merger (\$20.00).

(5) The option, which provided for vesting in four equal annual installments beginning on January 2, 2009, fully vested immediately prior to the closing of the merger and was cancelled pursuant to the merger agreement and converted into the right to receive cash in the amount of \$40,000.00, without interest and subject to deduction for any withholding taxes, representing the difference between the exercise price of the option and the price paid per common share in the merger (\$20.00).

(6) The option, which provided for vesting in four equal annual installments beginning on January 4, 2010, fully vested immediately prior to the closing of the merger and was cancelled pursuant to the merger agreement and converted into the right to receive cash in the amount of \$34,900.00, without interest and subject to deduction for any withholding taxes, representing the difference between the exercise price of the option and the price paid per common share in the merger (\$20.00).

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The option, which provided for vesting in four equal annual installments beginning on January 3, 2011, fully vested immediately prior to the closing of the merger and was cancelled pursuant to the merger agreement and converted into the right to receive cash in the amount of \$16,350.00, without interest and subject to deduction for any withholding taxes, representing the difference between the exercise price of the option and the price paid per common share in the merger (\$20.00).

- (8) The option, which provided for vesting in four equal annual installments beginning on January 3, 2012, fully vested immediately prior to the closing of the merger and was cancelled pursuant to the merger agreement and converted into the right to receive cash in the amount of \$36,000.00, without interest and subject to deduction for any withholding taxes, representing the difference between the exercise price of the option and the price paid per common share in the merger (\$20.00).

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