FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* TERRY CHRIS						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CONSUMER PORTFOLIO SERVICES INC CPSS								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify					
(Last)	(Last) (First) (Middle)						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/16/2012										below)	феспу	
(Street)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person					
(City)	City) (State) (Zip)													Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
		Tab	le I - Nor	n-Deriv	/ative	Se	curities	Acq	uired, Di	spose	ed o	f, or Be	neficial	ly Owne	t				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Da					Execution Date,			Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5)		ties Acquired (A) or I Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and		Benefici Owned I	es ally Following	Form (D) o	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
									Code V	Amo	ount	(A) oi (D)	(A) or (D) Price		eported ransaction(s) nstr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)	
	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 if any (Month/Day	Date,	4. Transa Code (I 8)		of		6. Date Exerc Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate	Amount of		of s ng e	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transactic (Instr. 4)	e	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code		v			Date Exercisable	Expira Date	ation	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$1.94	07/16/2012			A		14,000		(1)	07/16/	2022	common stock	14,000	(2)	14,00	0	D		

Explanation of Responses:

- $1.\ Becomes\ exercisable\ in\ five\ equal\ installments\ on\ 7/16/2013,\ 7/16/2014,\ 7/16/2015,\ 7/16/2016,\ and\ 7/16/2017$
- 2. Issued in consideration of the named person's service as an officer of the Issuer.

/s/ Chris Terry

07/18/2012

** 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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