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* SINHA AWADHESH K (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O STEVEN MADDEN, LTD. 52-16 BARNETT AVENUE			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>STEVEN MADDEN, LTD.</u> [SHOO] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/14/2012		ationship of Reporting Perso c all applicable) Director Officer (give title below) Chief Operating (10% Owner Other (specify below)
(Street) LONG ISLAND CITY, (City) (State)		11104 (Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line) X	vidual or Joint/Group Filing Form filed by One Repor Form filed by More than Person	rting Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date,		iction Instr.				Securities Beneficially	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1130.4)	
Common Stock, par value \$0.0001 per share	03/14/2012		A		7,500 ⁽¹⁾	Α	\$ <mark>0</mark>	60,000	D		

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

			(* 37)	,											
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)		5. Nu of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) or Dispo of (D) (Instr and 5	ative rities ired osed	6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y	ate	7. Title Amoun Securi Under Deriva Securi and 4)	nt of ties ying tive ty (Instr. 3	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 restricted stock grant made to the reporting person on March 14, 2012 under the Steven Madden, Ltd. 2006 Stock Incentive Plan (the "Plan"), which stock will vest in five equal annual installments of 1,500 shares commencing on the first anniversary of the grant date, March 14, 2013, and continuing to vest on each anniversary of the grant date thereafter, subject to forfeiture pursuant to the terms of the Plan.

/s/ Awadhesh K. Sinha

** Signature of Reporting Person

03/27/2012 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).

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