

STURM RUGER & CO INC  
Form 8-K  
May 05, 2010

UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT  
Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the  
Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)  
May 4, 2010

STURM, RUGER & COMPANY, INC.  
(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

DELAWARE (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)	001-10435 (Commission File Number)	06-0633559 (IRS Employer Identification Number)
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ONE LACEY PLACE, SOUTHPORT, CONNECTICUT (Address of Principal Executive Offices)	06890 (Zip Code)
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Registrant's telephone number, including area code (203) 259-7843

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 8.01 Other Events

Certain officers and directors of Sturm, Ruger & Company, Inc. exercised stock options during the open period following the filing of the Company's Form 10-Q in accordance with the Company's policy related to insider trading. One of these officers, Chief Executive Officer Michael O. Fifer acquired 78,750 shares of the Company's common stock through the cashless exercise of stock options and now holds 145,419 shares of the Company's common stock.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, hereunto duly authorized.

STURM, RUGER & COMPANY, INC.

By: /s/ THOMAS A. DINEEN  
Name: Thomas A. Dineen  
Title: Principal Financial Officer,  
Vice President, Treasurer and  
Chief Financial Officer

Dated: May 5, 2010