Milford Scott R Form 4 September 21, 2012

### FORM 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

Name and Address of Reporting Person     Milford Scott R	* 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
	TOWN SPORTS INTERNATIONAL HOLDINGS INC [CLUB]  3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/19/2012	(Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 5 PENN PLAZA				
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
NEW YORK, NY 10001		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State) (	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative :	Securi	ities Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	(A) or	d of (D) 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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock, par value \$0.001	09/19/2012		Code V  M(1)	Amount 2,919	(D)	Price \$ 3.09	24,459	D	
Common Stock, par value \$0.001	09/19/2012		S <u>(1)</u>	9,919 (2)	D	\$ 13.08	14,540	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)

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number omf 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.56	09/19/2012		M(1)	7,000	12/07/2010(3)	12/07/2019	Common Stock, par value \$0.001	7,000
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 3.09	09/17/2012		M <u>(1)</u>	1,750	11/01/2011(4)	11/01/2020	Common Stock, par value \$0.001	1,750

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Milford Scott R 5 PENN PLAZA NEW YORK, NY 10001

**SVP-Human Resources** 

**Signatures** 

/s/ David Kastin for Scott
Milford

09/21/2012

\*\*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 exercise of the option and sale of the underlying shares reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on March 12, 2012.

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- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$13 to \$13.28, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Town Sports International Holdings, Inc., any security holder of Town Sports International Holdings, Inc., or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.
- (3) These options were granted on December 7, 2009 and began to vest in four equal annual installments commencing on December 7, 2010, the first anniversary of the grant date.
- (4) These options were granted on November 1, 2010 and began to vest in four equal annual installments commencing on November 1, 2011, the first anniversary of the grant date.

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