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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Sawall Dan J

(Last) (First) (Middle)

GOLFSMITH INTERNATIONAL HOLDINGS, INC., 11000 N. IH-35

(Street)

AUSTIN. TXÂ 78753-3195

(City) (State) (Zip)

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)

Statement (Month/Day/Year) 08/17/2009

2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

GOLFSMITH INTERNATIONAL HOLDINGS INC [GOLF]

4. Relationship of Reporting

Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer Other (give title below) (specify below) Senior Vice President, GMM

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

5. If Amendment, Date Original

X Form filed by One Reporting Person

Form filed by More than One

Reporting Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

(Instr. 4)

Ownership Form: Direct (D)

(I) (Instr. 5) 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership

(Instr. 5) or Indirect

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

2. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying **Derivative Security** (Instr. 4)

5. Ownership Conversion or Exercise Form of

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

Price of Derivative Derivative Security:

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Date Expiration Title Exercisable Date

Amount or Security Number of Shares

Direct (D) or Indirect (I)

(Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer

Other

Sawall Dan J

GOLFSMITH INTERNATIONAL HOLDINGS, INC. 11000 N. IH-35 AUSTIN, TXÂ 78753-3195

Â Â Senior Vice President, GMM Â

Signatures

/s/ R. Scott Wood Attorney-in-Fact

08/17/2009

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

No securities are beneficially owned

- If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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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Remarks:

Exhibit Index: 24.1 Power of Attorney

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