

CONSUMER PORTFOLIO SERVICES INC

Form 4

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**FORM 4****UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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See Instruction  
1(b).**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,  
Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section  
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
CREATURA MARK2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
CONSUMER PORTFOLIO  
SERVICES INC [CPSS]5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

CONSUMER PORTFOLIO  
SERVICES INC., 19500  
JAMBOREE ROAD3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
04/03/2012☐ Director ☐ 10% Owner  
☒ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify  
below) Sr. Vice President

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original  
Filed(Month/Day/Year)6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting  
Person

IRVINE, CA 92618

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

| 1. Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securities<br>Acquired (A) or<br>Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or Indirect<br>(I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|
|                                       |                                         |                                                             | Code                                 | V                                                                          | Amount                                                                                                             | (D)                                                                  | Price                                                             |

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

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(9-02)**Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned  
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

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| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number of<br>Derivative<br>Securities<br>Acquired (A)<br>or Disposed of<br>(D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4,<br>and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount<br>of Underlying<br>Securities<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. D<br>Se<br>(In                |                                     |
|-----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
|                                                     |                                                                    |                                         |                                                             | Code                                 | V (A) (D)                                                                                                    | Date<br>Exercisable                                            | Expiration<br>Date                                                     | Title                            | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of Shares |
| Stock<br>option<br>(right to<br>buy)                | \$ 1.2                                                             | 04/03/2012                              |                                                             | A                                    | 36,000                                                                                                       | <u>(1)</u>                                                     | 04/03/2022                                                             | common<br>stock, no<br>par value | 36,000                              |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                                               | Relationships                    |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
|                                                                                              | Director 10% Owner Officer Other |
| CREATURA MARK<br>CONSUMER PORTFOLIO SERVICES INC.<br>19500 JAMBOREE ROAD<br>IRVINE, CA 92618 | Sr. Vice President               |

## Signatures

/s/ Mark A.  
Creatura

04/05/2012

\_\_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) Becomes exercisable in five equal installments on 4/3/2013, 4/3/2014, 4/3/2015, 4/3/2016, and 4/3/2017

(2) Issued in consideration of named person's service as an officer of the Issuer.

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