

J M SMUCKER Co  
Form 4  
June 16, 2015

**FORM 4**

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

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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  
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
SMUCKER RICHARD K

(Last) (First) (Middle)

ONE STRAWBERRY LANE

(Street)

ORRVILLE, OH 44667-0280

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol

J M SMUCKER Co [SJM]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)

06/12/2015

4. If Amendment, Date Original  
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

☐ Director ☐ 10% Owner  
☒ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)

Chief Executive Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting  
Person

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 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 Shares	06/12/2015		A	Amount (1) 25,725	(A) or (D) A \$ 0	653,095	D
Common Shares	06/12/2015		F	Amount (2) 10,647	D \$ 111.41	642,448	D
Common Shares					8,854.513	I	By 401(k) (3)
Common Shares					12,751.3366	I	By Esop (4)
Common Shares					477,796	I	By Trust Fbo Daughter (5)

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Common Shares	100,000	I	By Wife <sup>(5)</sup>
Common Shares	84,730.795	I	by Wife as Trustee for the Benefit of Grandchildren <sup>(4)</sup> <sup>(5)</sup>
Common Shares	477,798	I	Co-trustee Fbo Brother <sup>(5)</sup>
Common Shares	477,798	I	Co-trustee Fbo Sister <sup>(5)</sup>

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of 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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 6)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SMUCKER RICHARD K ONE STRAWBERRY LANE ORRVILLE, OH 44667-0280	X		Chief Executive Officer	

## Signatures

/s/ Jeannette L.  
Knudsen, POA

06/16/2015

\_\_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).

Restricted stock and restricted stock units granted pursuant to The J. M. Smucker Company 2010 Equity and Incentive Compensation Plan generally become unrestricted upon the fourth anniversary of the grant date. The Plan also provides that restricted stock and

- (1) restricted stock units will vest immediately when a participant reaches the age of 60 and the participant has at least 10 years of service with the Company, although 50% of any such restricted stock awards continue to be subject to a 4-year retention period even in the event of retirement.
- (2) Smucker common shares withheld by the Company to satisfy tax liability upon the vesting of restricted stock or restricted stock units, pursuant to The J. M. Smucker Company 2010 Equity and Incentive Compensation Plan.
- (3) This amount includes shares acquired under (i) the Company's 401(k) plan since the date of the reporting person's last ownership report and (ii) the Company's dividend reinvestment plan as administered by its transfer agent.
- (4) This amount includes shares acquired under the Company's dividend reinvestment plan, as administered by its transfer agent.
- (5) I disclaim beneficial ownership of these shares.

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