

SIMPSON MANUFACTURING CO INC /CA/
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Arevalo Ricardo M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 SIMPSON MANUFACTURING CO INC /CA/ [SSD]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 5956 W. LAS POSITAS
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 09/14/2016

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 COO, Simpson Strong-Tie

PLEASANTON, CA 94588

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

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

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) |
|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| | | | Code | V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price |
| Common Stock (RSUs awarded January 30, 2012) | 09/14/2016 | | S | | 1,071 | D | \$ 44.3958 |
| | | | | | 0 ⁽¹⁾ | | |
| Common Stock (RSUs awarded February 6, 2013) | 09/14/2016 | | S | | 2,366 | D | \$ 44.3958 |
| | | | | | 2,415 ⁽²⁾ | | |

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| Common Stock (RSUs awarded February 1, 2016) | 4,974 ⁽³⁾ | D |
| Common Stock (PRSUs awarded February 1, 2016) | 6,126 ⁽⁴⁾ | D |
| Common Stock (RSUs awarded February 2, 2015) | 2,170 ⁽⁵⁾ | D |
| Common Stock (RSUs awarded February 3, 2014) | 3,210 ⁽⁶⁾ | 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. 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 (Instr. 6) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--|--|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|-------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Arevalo Ricardo M 5956 W. LAS POSITAS PLEASANTON, CA 94588 | | | COO, Simpson Strong-Tie | |

Signatures

/s/RICARDO M.
AREVALO

09/14/2016

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) Amount was increased by 34 shares to reflect the actual number of shares vested after withholding shares for the payment of income and other taxes due at the time of vesting.

(2) Amount was reduced by 25 shares to reflect the actual number of shares vested after withholding shares for the payment of income and other taxes due at the time of vesting.

(3) Amount includes 4,974 shares of restricted stock units (RSUs) awarded on February 1, 2016. RSUs vest one fourth on each of the award date and the first, second and third anniversaries of the award date. The 4,974 shares are net of the number of shares expected to be withheld to cover the estimated income taxes due on vesting.

(4) Amount includes 6,126 shares of restricted stock units (RSUs) awarded on February 1, 2016. RSUs vest fully on the third anniversary of the award date subject to the Company's relative performance versus the S&P Smallcap 600 Index. The 6,126 shares assume that the maximum number of shares will vest, based on performance at the highest level, and are net of the number of shares expected to be withheld to cover the estimated income taxes due on vesting.

(5) Amount includes 2,170 shares of restricted stock units (RSUs) awarded on February 2, 2015. RSUs vest three fourths on the third anniversary of the award date and one fourth on the fourth anniversary of the award date. The 2,170 shares are net of the number of shares expected to be withheld to cover the estimated income taxes due on vesting.

(6) Amount includes 3,210 shares of restricted stock units (RSUs) awarded on February 3, 2014. RSUs vest one fourth on each of the award date and the first, second and third anniversaries of the award date. The 3,210 shares are net of the number of shares expected to be withheld to cover the estimated income taxes due on vesting.

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