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1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi corr Dispos (Instr. 3,	sed of (D 4 and 5) (A) or))	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					()		60	D	
Common Stock (RSUs awarded February 4, 2017)							4,423 (1)	D	
Common Stock (PRSUs awarded							8,859 <u>(2)</u>	D	

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February 4, 2017)								
Common Stock (RSUs awarded February 1, 2016)						4,974 <u>(3)</u>	D	
Common Stock (PRSUs awarded February 1, 2016)						6,126 <u>(4)</u>	D	
Common Stock (RSUs awarded February 2, 2015)						2,164 (5)	D	
Common Stock (RSUs awarded February 3, 2014)	12/12/2017	S	194	D	\$ 59.0105	582 <u>(6)</u>	D	
Common Stock (RSUs awarded February 6, 2013)	12/12/2017	S	388	D	\$ 59.0105	388 (7)	D	
Common Stock (RSUs awarded January 30, 2012)	12/12/2017	S	718	D	\$ 59.0105	64	D	
Common Stock						2,013 (8)	I	By Trust

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)

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Derivativ	ve Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	orNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	ınt of	Derivative	Deriv
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				Code V	(A) (I))				Snares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Other Director 10% Owner Officer

Dankel Roger 5956 W. LAS POSITAS PLEASANTON, CA 94588

President, Simpson Strong-Tie

Signatures

/s/ROGER 12/12/2017 **DANKEL**

**Signature of Date Reporting Person

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).
- Amount includes 4,423 shares of restricted stock units (RSUs) awarded on February 4, 2017. RSUs vest one fourth on February 15, 2017, February 15, 2018, February 15, 2019, and February 15, 2020. The 4,423 shares are net of the number of shares expected to be withheld to cover the estimated income taxes due on vesting.
- Amount includes 8,859 shares of restricted stock units (RSUs) awarded on February 4, 2017. RSUs vest fully on February 15, 2020, subject to the Company's performance on revenue growth (50%) and return on invested capital (50%) versus the Company's peer group **(2)** median. The 8,859 shares assume that the number of shares that vest are based on targeted performance and are net of the number of shares expected to be withheld to cover the estimated income taxes due on vesting.
- Amount includes 4,974 shares of restricted stock units (RSUs) awarded on February 1, 2016. RSUs vest one fourth on each of the award (3) 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.
- 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.

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- Amount includes 2,164 shares of restricted stock units (RSUs) awarded on February 2, 2015. RSUs vest one fourth on each of the award (5) date and the first, second and third anniversaries of the award date. The 2,164 shares are net of the number of shares expected to be withheld to cover the estimated income taxes due on vesting.
- Amount includes 776 shares of restricted stock units (RSUs) awarded on February 3, 2014. RSUs vest one fourth on each of the award (6) date and the first, second and third anniversaries of the award date. The 776 shares are net of the number of shares expected to be withheld to cover the estimated income taxes due on vesting.
- Amount includes 776 shares of restricted stock units (RSUs) awarded on February 6, 2013. RSUs vest one fourth on each of the award (7) date and the first, second and third anniversaries of the award date. The 776 shares are net of the number of shares expected to be withheld to cover the estimated income taxes due on vesting.
- (8) The shares are owned by the Simpson Manuafacturing Co., Inc. Profit Sharing Plan for Salaried Employees (the "Plan") of which the reporting person is a participant. The Plan qualifies under sections 401(a)(26) and 410 of the Internal Revenue Code.

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