## LUKE JOHN A JR

Form 4

November 13, 2017

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* LUKE JOHN A JR

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last) (First)

504 THRASHER STREET

(Middle)

WestRock Co [WRK]

(Check all applicable)

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

\_X\_\_ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

11/13/2017

below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

NORCROSS, GA 30071

(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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	(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	11/13/2017		M M	Amount 2,122	(D)	Price \$ 23.65	497,557	D		
Common Stock	11/13/2017		M	6,187	A	\$ 9.02	503,744	D		
Common Stock	11/13/2017		M	1,914	A	\$ 26.99	505,658	D		
Common Stock	11/13/2017		M	120	A	\$ 23.65	505,778	D		
Common Stock	11/13/2017		S	10,343 (1)	D	\$ 58.553	495,435	D		
							2,269	I		

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Common Stock			By Spouse
Common Stock	140,680	I	By Trust

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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. 5. Number Transaction Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) 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)		
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock option - right to buy	\$ 23.65	11/13/2017		M		2,122 (2)	07/01/2015	02/22/2020	Common Stock	2,122
Stock option - right to buy	\$ 9.02	11/13/2017		M		6,187 (2)	07/01/2015	02/23/2019	Common Stock	6,187
Stock option - right to buy	\$ 26.99	11/13/2017		M		1,914 (2)	07/01/2015	02/25/2018	Common Stock	1,914
Stock option - right to buy	\$ 23.65	11/13/2017		M		120	07/01/2015	02/22/2020	Common Stock	120

# **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

LUKE JOHN A JR 504 THRASHER STREET X NORCROSS, GA 30071

## **Signatures**

Robert B. McIntosh (Attorney-in-fact pursuant to power of attorney previously filed with SEC)

11/14/2017

\*\*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) Shares sold at average price of \$58.553058. Prices ranging from \$58.18 to \$58.715 per share.
- (2) Reflects adjustment for Ingevity Corporation spin-off on May 15, 2016.

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