

Artisan Partners Asset Management Inc.
 Form 4
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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 *
 COXE TENCH

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 Artisan Partners Asset Management Inc. [APAM]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 C/O ARTISAN PARTNERS ASSET MANAGEMENT, 875 EAST WISCONSIN AVENUE, SUITE 800

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 09/26/2014

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

(Street)
 MILWAUKEE, WI 53202

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

(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) | | |
|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|---|----------------------------|
| | | | | (A) or (D) | Price | | | | |
| | | | | Code | V | Amount | | | |
| Class A Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share | 09/26/2014 | | S | 25,643 | D | \$ 52.0125 (1) | 271,770 | I | By limited partnership (2) |
| Class A Common Stock, par value | 09/26/2014 | | S | 25,588 | D | \$ 52.0125 (1) | 271,188 | I | By limited partnership (3) |

\$0.01 per share

Class A
Common
Stock, par
value
\$0.01 per
share

4,728 D ⁽⁴⁾

Class A
Common
Stock, par
value
\$0.01 per
share

22,411 I By trust ⁽⁵⁾

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 Owned Beneficially (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--|--|
| | | | | 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

COXE TENCH
C/O ARTISAN PARTNERS ASSET MANAGEMENT
875 EAST WISCONSIN AVENUE, SUITE 800
MILWAUKEE, WI 53202

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Signatures

/s/ Lisa A. Moran, attorney-in-fact for Mr.
Coxe

09/29/2014

__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) The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$52.00 to \$52.06, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Artisan Partners Asset Management Inc., any security holder of Artisan Partners Asset Management Inc., or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.

(2) Securities held by a limited partnership of which the reporting person is a trustee of a trust that is the general partner. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership in these securities except as to the reporting person's pecuniary interest therein.

(3) Securities held by Sutter Hill Ventures, a California Limited Partnership. The reporting person is a managing director of the general partner of Sutter Hill Ventures, a California Limited Partnership. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership in these securities except as to the reporting person's pecuniary interest therein.

(4) The reporting person shares pecuniary interest in these securities with other individuals pursuant to a contractual relationship. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities except as to the reporting person's pecuniary interest in these securities.

(5) Securities held by a trust of which the reporting person is a trustee. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership in these securities except as to the reporting person's pecuniary interest therein.

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