

PREFORMED LINE PRODUCTS CO
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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 *
 CURLEE J CECIL JR

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 PREFORMED LINE PRODUCTS CO [PLPC]

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

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 08/23/2012

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
 V.P. Human Resources

C/O PREFORMED LINE PRODUCTS, PO BOX 91129

(Street)

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

CLEVELAND, OH 44101

(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 Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|-------|--------|---|--|-----------------------------------|------------|
| | | | | Code | V | Amount | | | | (A) or (D) |
| Common shares, \$2 par value | 08/23/2012 | | M | | 4,211 | A | \$ 14.33 | 21,613 | D | |
| Common shares, \$2 par value | 08/23/2012 | | S | | 4,211 | D | \$ 59.07 | 17,402 | D | |
| Common shares, \$2 par value | | | | | | | | 5,845 | 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)

| 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) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|
| Employee stock option (right to buy) | \$ 14.33 | 08/23/2012 | | M | 4,211 | 04/28/2004 ⁽¹⁾ 04/27/2013 | Common shares, \$2 par value | 4,211 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|----------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| CURLEE J CECIL JR C/O PREFORMED LINE PRODUCTS PO BOX 91129 CLEVELAND, OH 44101 | | | V.P. Human Resources | |

Signatures

/s/ Eric R. Graef, by power of attorney 08/24/2012

**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) Subject shares may be purchased in the amounts and subject to the vesting schedule set forth below: Vesting date: 04/28/2004 - 5,000 shares Vesting date: 04/28/2005 - 2,500 shares Vesting date: 04/28/2006 - 2,500 shares

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