

Curran Brendan  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

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

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Curran Brendan

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
100 FIRST STAMFORD PLACE  
(Street)

STAMFORD, CT 06902

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
CRANE CO /DE/ [CR]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
08/30/2018

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Group President, Aerospace

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|--|
|                                    |                                      |  | Code                           | V   | Amount (D) Price  |  |  |
| CRANE CO. COMMON, PAR VALUE \$1.00 | 08/30/2018                           |  | M                              |   | 3,000<br>(1) \$ 43.57   | 14,346   | D  |
| CRANE CO. COMMON, PAR VALUE \$1.00 | 08/30/2018                           |  | S                              |   | 3,000<br>(1) \$ 91.0733   | 11,346   | D  |

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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 (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)       | \$ 43.57   | 08/30/2018                           |  | M                              | 3,000  | <sup>(3)</sup> 01/25/2026                                | CRANE CO. COMMON, PAR VALUE \$1.00                            | 3,000                      |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                   | Relationships |           |                            |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|----------------------------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                    | Other |
| Curran Brendan<br>100 FIRST STAMFORD PLACE<br>STAMFORD, CT 06902 |               |           | Group President, Aerospace |       |

## Signatures

|  |                     |
|--|---------------------|
| Attorney In Fact, Anthony M.<br>D'Iorio        | 09/04/2018          |
| <small>**Signature of Reporting Person</small> | <small>Date</small> |

## 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).
- Mr. Curran exercised options granted to him on 1/25/2016, resulting in him acquiring 3,000 shares of common stock which he sold contemporaneously in multiple same-day transactions. After this sale, Mr. Curran will have holdings of 11,693 shares of the issuer's common stock.

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- Weighted average price at which shares were sold in multiple same-day transactions at prices ranging from \$91.0410 to \$91.0850. The
- (2) reporting person undertakes to provide, upon request of the Commission staff, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
  - (3) This option vested 50% on the second anniversary of the grant date (1/25/2016). The remaining 50% will vest on the third and fourth anniversary of the grant date.

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