

SIMPSON MANUFACTURING CO INC /CA/
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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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 *
 SIMPSON SHARON H

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 SIMPSON MANUFACTURING CO INC /CA/ [SSD]

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

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 21C ORINDA WAY
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 04/08/2015

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

ORINDA, CA 94563
 (City) (State) (Zip)

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

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) | Price | | | |
| Common Stock | 04/08/2015 | | G | | 853,000 | A | \$ 36.21 | 953,000 ⁽¹⁾ | I | By non-profit public benefit corporation |
| Common Stock | 04/08/2015 | | G | | 853,000 | D | \$ 36.21 | 5,277,136 ⁽²⁾ | I | By Trust |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | 1,000,000 | D | |

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 Beneficially Owned (Instr. 5) |
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Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| SIMPSON SHARON H 21C ORINDA WAY ORINDA, CA 94563 | | X | | |

Signatures

/s/SHARON H.
SIMPSON 04/10/2015

**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 shares are owned by the Simpson PSB Fund, a California nonprofit public benefit corporation, of which Sharon Simpson is a member of the Board of Directors. Sharon Simpson disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares.
 - (2) The shares are owned by Sharon H. Simpson, Trustee of the Barclay and Sharon Simpson 2007 Trust, dated May 25, 2007.

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