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# FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Neill James R			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol GENUINE PARTS CO [GPC]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
2999 WILDWOOD PKWY  (Street)  ATLANTA, GA 30339			(Month/Day/Year) 01/12/2018	Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specification) below)  Sr Vice Pres Human Resources			
			4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group F Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Form filed by More than One				
				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acc	cquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owne			

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1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or D (Instr. 3,	(A) or	d of (D)	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	01/12/2018		M	3,900	A	\$ 102.51	9,170	D	
Common Stock	01/12/2018		F	2,917	D	\$ 102.51	6,253	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number op 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 Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shares
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 63.28	01/12/2018		M		3,900	04/02/2013	04/02/2022	Common Stock	3,90
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 63.28	01/12/2018		M		3,900	04/02/2013	04/02/2022	Common Stock	3,900

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Neill James R

2999 WILDWOOD PKWY Sr Vice Pres Human Resources

ATLANTA, GA 30339

### **Signatures**

David A. Haskett Attorney in Fact 01/16/2018

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

## **Explanation of Responses:**

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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