Knowles Corp Form 4 February 22, 2017

### FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Ad Jackson Tho	•	rting Person *	Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading     Symbol     Knowles Corp [KN]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) (First)		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner			
C/O KNOW	LES		02/17/2017	X Officer (give title Other (specify			
CORPORAT	TION 1151		0=/1//=01/	below) Senior VP & General Counsel			
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MAPLEWO	OD DRIVE						
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line)			
			·	_X_Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
ITASCA, IL	60143						
IIASCA, IL	00173						

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	Derivative S	Securi	ties Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Day/Year)  Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)  (A) or Code V Amount (D) Price			5. Amount of Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Direct Owned (D) or Following Indirect (I) Reported (Instr. 4) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	02/22/2017		M	21,277	A	\$ 11.02	62,394	D	
Common Stock	02/22/2017		S	21,277	D	\$ 19.3	41,117	D	
Common Stock	02/17/2017		F	2,210 (1)	D	\$ 19.42	38,907	D	
Common Stock	02/17/2017		F	1,519 (2)	D	\$ 19.42	37,388	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)

Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	4. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of		Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
	Security			(D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)				
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share
Stock Option (Right to	\$ 11.02	02/22/2017	M	21,277	02/17/2017(3)	02/16/2023	Common Stock	21,27

#### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Jackson Thomas G C/O KNOWLES CORPORATION 1151 MAPLEWOOD DRIVE ITASCA, IL 60143

Senior VP & General Counsel

#### **Signatures**

Buy)

/s/ Mark Pacioni, attorney-in-fact

02/22/2017

\*\*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) These shares represent the payment of the tax liability by withholding securities incident to the vesting of a restricted stock grant issued on February 17, 2016 in accordance with Rule 16b-3.
- (2) These shares represent the payment of the tax liability by withholding securities incident to the vesting of a restricted stock grant issued on February 17, 2015 in accordance with Rule 16b-3.
- (3) Option granted under the Knowles Corporation 2014 Equity and Cash Incentive Plan that vests ratably over three years commencing on the first anniversary of the award.

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