

SENSIENT TECHNOLOGIES CORP

Form 4

February 12, 2015

FORM 4
UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Wilkins Robert

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
SENSIENT TECHNOLOGIES
CORP [SXT]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

777 E. WISCONSIN AVE.

(Street)

MILWAUKEE, WI 53202

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
02/12/2015

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

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____X____ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)
President, Asia Pacific Group

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

(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 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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	02/12/2015		M ⁽¹⁾	V Amount (A) or (D) Price 1,000 A \$ ⁽¹⁾ 23.09	59,525 ⁽²⁾	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)

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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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 23.09	02/12/2015		M ⁽¹⁾	1,000 ⁽¹⁾	02/14/2006 ⁽³⁾	02/14/2015	Common Stock	1,000
Performance Stock Unit	⁽⁴⁾					⁽⁵⁾	⁽⁵⁾	Common Stock	8,400
Performance Stock Unit	⁽⁴⁾					⁽⁶⁾	⁽⁶⁾	Common Stock	5,700
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 19.03					02/10/2007 ⁽³⁾	02/10/2016	Common Stock	1,000
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 24.45					02/08/2008 ⁽³⁾	02/08/2017	Common Stock	5,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
Wilkins Robert 777 E. WISCONSIN AVE. MILWAUKEE, WI 53202	President, Asia Pacific Group

Signatures

/s/ John L. Hammond, Attorney-in-Fact for Mr. Wilkins 02/12/2015

 Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

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

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- (1) Exercise of in-the-money stock option that would otherwise expire on 2/14/2015, exempt from Section 16(b) by virtue of Rule 16b-6(b) and Rule 16b-3(d) and (e).
- (2) Includes restricted stock units held under Issuer's 2002 Stock Option Plan and Issuer's 2007 Stock Plan. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Issuer's Common Stock and vests three or five years after the grant date.
- (3) Original option grant vests in three equal annual installments beginning on the date listed in the "Date Exercisable" column.
- (4) Each performance stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Issuer's Common Stock.

Represents grant of performance stock units under Issuer's 2007 Stock Plan. The award is eligible to vest following a three year performance period (from January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2017) as follows: (1) 70% of the award is eligible to vest upon achievement of certain performance criteria based on EBIT growth, and (2) 30% of the award is eligible to vest upon achievement of certain performance criteria based on return on invested capital. Subject to certain continued employment conditions and subject to accelerated vesting in certain circumstances, the actual number of shares earned will be determined and vest following the three year performance period. The number of shares reflected is at the target award amount. No performance stock units will vest below a minimum level of performance. At or above the minimum level of performance, the actual number of shares earned may range from 0% to 150% of the target award amount.

- (5)
- (6) Represents grant of performance stock units under Issuer's 2007 Stock Plan. The award is eligible to vest following a two year performance period (from January 1, 2014 through December 31, 2015) as follows: (1) 70% of the award is eligible to vest upon achievement of certain performance criteria based on EBIT growth, and (2) 30% of the award is eligible to vest upon achievement of certain performance criteria based on return on invested capital. Subject to certain continued employment conditions and subject to accelerated vesting in certain circumstances, the actual number of shares earned will be determined following the two year performance period and will vest on the third anniversary of the original grant date. The number of shares reflected is at the target award amount. No performance stock units will vest below a minimum level of performance. At or above the minimum level of performance, the actual number of shares earned may range from 50% to 150% of the target award amount.

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