**SEC Form 4**

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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

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### 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person

Sharon H. Simpson

21C Orinda Way

Orinda, CA 94563

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### 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

SIMPSON MANUFACTURING CO INC /CA/ [ SSD ]

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### 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

05/10/2016

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### 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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

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### Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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<tr>
<th>1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)</th>
<th>2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)</th>
<th>3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)</th>
<th>4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)</th>
<th>5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)</th>
<th>6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)</th>
<th>7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)</th>
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<tr>
<td>Common Stock</td>
<td>05/10/2016</td>
<td>S</td>
<td>2,420 D</td>
<td>$38.1629</td>
<td>1,625,850 (1)</td>
<td>I</td>
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<td>Common Stock</td>
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<td>By non-profit public benefit corporation</td>
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<td>Common Stock</td>
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<td>5,276,936 (2)</td>
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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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### Explanation of Responses:
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 H. Simpson disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares.


/s/SHARON H. SIMPSON 05/10/2016
** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.
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