**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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1. **Name and Address of Reporting Person**
   - Sharon H. Simpson
   - 21C Orinda Way
   - Orinda, CA 94563

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

3. **Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)**
   - 05/05/2016

4. **If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)**
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5. **Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer**
   - Director
   - X 10% Owner
   - Officer (give title below)
   - Other (specify below)

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

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

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Title of Security</th>
<th>Transaction Date</th>
<th>Code</th>
<th>Amount</th>
<th>Price</th>
<th>Securities Acquired or Disposed Of (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Common Stock</td>
<td>05/05/2016</td>
<td>S</td>
<td>16,983</td>
<td>$38.0416</td>
<td>1659,370 (1)</td>
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<tr>
<td>Common Stock</td>
<td>05/06/2016</td>
<td>S</td>
<td>31,100</td>
<td>$38.0816</td>
<td>1628,270 (1)</td>
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<tr>
<td>Common Stock</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
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<td>5276,936 (2) By Trust</td>
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### Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)
<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)</th>
<th>2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security</th>
<th>3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)</th>
<th>4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)</th>
<th>5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)</th>
<th>6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)</th>
<th>7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)</th>
<th>8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)</th>
<th>9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)</th>
<th>10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)</th>
<th>11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)</th>
</tr>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Code</td>
<td>V</td>
<td>(A)</td>
<td>(D)</td>
<td>Date Exercisable</td>
<td>Expiration Date</td>
<td>Title</td>
<td>Amount or Number of Shares</td>
<td>Code</td>
<td>V</td>
<td>(A)</td>
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</table>

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 05/09/2016

** Signature of Reporting Person Date **

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

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


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