

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

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Barclay Simpson 5956 W. Las Positas Blvd. Pleasanton CA 94588			Simpson Manufacturing Co., Inc. [NYSE:SSD]     Date of Earliest Transaction Required to be Reported (Month/Day/Year) 02/13/2012						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (check all applicable)  _X_ Director _X_ 10% Owner  Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)  Chairman Emeritus					
		4. If amendment, Date Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 02/13/2012						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More Than One Reporting Person						
	n-Der	rivati	ve Seci	irities Acquire	d, D	ispose	d of, or l	Beneficially O	wned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deeme Execution Date, if an	n Code ny (Instr. 8)		tion	4. Securities Acquire (Instr. 3, 4, & 5)	d (A) o	or Dispose	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially	6. Ownership Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
	(mm/dd/yy)	(mm/dd/yy)		Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3, & 4)	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)			
Common Stock										6,703,728	D			
Common Stock										1,000,000	I	Shares are owned by Sharon H. Simpson, wife of Barclay Simpson, as sole and separate property		
Common Stock										6,197 (2)	I	By Trust		
Common Stock	02/13/2012			S		13,126	D		\$32.5322	383,000 (1)	I	By nonprofit public benefit corporation		

Form 4 (cont.) Name and Address of Reporting Person Barclay Simpson 5956 W. Las Positas Blvd. Pleasanton CA 94588

Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Simpson Manufacturing Co., Inc. [NYSE:SSD]

Period Of Report 02/13/2012

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. Trans- action Date (mm/dd/yy)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (mm/dd/yy)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. No. of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, & 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (mm/dd/yy)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 & 4)		Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned	Form of Derivative Securities:	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
	Security			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		C	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	
Options on Common Stock	\$32.626							02/03/2012 (3)	02/03/2016	Common Stock	2,000		2,000	D	

## Explanation of Responses:

- (1) Restricted stock unit awards vest one fourth on each of the transaction date and the first, second and third anniversaries of the transaction date.
- (2) The shares are owned by the Simpson Manufacuturing Co., Inc. Profit Sharing Plan for Salaried Employees (the "Plan") of which Barclay Simpson is a participant. The Plan is qualified under sections 401(a)(26) and 410 of the Internal Revenue Code.
- (3) This date represents the date of the first annual vesting period. This option vests equally over four years beginning with the date of grant.

By: /s/Barclay Simpson \*\*Signature of Reporting Person 3/15/2012 Date