Fossil Group, Inc. Form 4 December 12, 2016

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Hart Darren E.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Issuer

(Last)

(City)

(Middle)

(Zip)

Fossil Group, Inc. [FOSL] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

901 S. CENTRAL EXPRESSWAY

(Street)

(State)

(First)

(Month/Day/Year) 12/09/2016

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

below) **Executive Vice President**

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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Person

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

RICHARDSON, TX 75080

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of 7. Nature of Securities Ownership Indirect Beneficially Form: Direct Beneficial Owned Ownership (D) or Following Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Reported (Instr. 4)

(A) or Code V Amount (D)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Price

Common 12/09/2016 Stock

S 13,125 D

31,628 (1)

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 128.29					07/15/2012	07/15/2019	Common Stock	5,343
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 127.835					03/15/2013	03/15/2020	Common Stock	4,945
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 106.395					03/15/2014	03/15/2021	Common Stock	4,614
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 113.04					03/15/2015	03/15/2022	Common Stock	12,179
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 80.215					03/15/2016	03/15/2023	Common Stock	11,212
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 47.99					03/15/2017	03/15/2024	Common Stock	18,515

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Hart Darren E.

901 S. CENTRAL EXPRESSWAY Executive Vice President RICHARDSON, TX 75080

Signatures

/s/ Darren E. Hart 12/12/2016

**Signature of Date Reporting Person

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- * 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) Consists of 31,628 Restricted Stock Units

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