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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)

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of actionDerivative Securities 8) 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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 7.95	11/12/2018		M		20,425 (2)	(2)	03/17/2026	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	20,425

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Benson Scot C/O PLATFORM SPECIALTY PRODUCTS CORP. 1450 CENTREPARK BLVD, SUITE 210 WEST PALM BEACH, FL 33401

President - Perf. Solutions

Signatures

/s/ Scot R. 11/14/2018 Benson

**Signature of Date Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

- 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).
- Represents a net exercise of outstanding stock options. The reporting person received 4,354 shares of the Issuer's common stock on net **(1)** exercise to purchase 20,425 shares. 16,071 shares were delivered to cover payment of the exercise price and tax withholdings.
- These options vested and became exercisable in annual 1/3 increments on March 16 of each year following the grant date of March 16, 2016. 1/3 of the option grant remains outstanding.

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