Pinkham Louis V. Form 4 January 30, 2018

FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Pinkham Louis V. Issuer Symbol CRANE CO /DE/ [CR] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify 100 FIRST STAMFORD PLACE 01/27/2018 below) below) Senior Vice President (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting STAMFORD, CT 06902-6784 Person

	(City)	(State) (Zij	Table I	- Non-Deri	vative Sec	curitie	es Acqui	ired, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
Secur	1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Security (A) or Di (D) (Instr. 3,	spose	d of	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
	CRANE CO. COMMON, PAR VALUE \$1.00	01/27/2018		M	365 <u>(1)</u>	,	\$ 0	21,375	D	
	CRANE CO. COMMON, PAR VALUE \$1.00	01/27/2018		F	121 (1)	D	\$ 93.4	21,254	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)

1. Title of 2. Derivative Conversion or Exercise (Instr. 3) Price of Derivative Security		3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	Derivative	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
Restricted Share Unit	<u>(2)</u>	01/27/2018		М	365 (1)	<u>(2)</u>	<u>(3)</u>	CRANE CO. COMMON, PAR VALUE \$1.00	365

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Keiationsnips							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Pinkham Louis V.			Senior					
100 FIRST STAMFORD PLACE			Vice					
STAMFORD, CT 06902-6784			President					

Signatures

Attorney In Fact,
Christopher Dee
01/30/2018

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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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).
- On January 27, 2018,365 Restricted Share Units, which represent the right to receive one share of Crane Co. Common Stock, previously reported as beneficially owned by the reporting person, vested due to the passage of time, and 121 shares were withheld to pay 244 shares of Crane Co. Common Stock.
- (2) 25% of the Restricted Share Units granted will be converted into shares of Common Stock on each of the first, second, third and fourth anniversaries of the grant date (January 27, 2014), provided the recipient remains employed by the Company, or retires after age 65, or after age 62 with ten years of service; all Restricted Share Units will be converted into shares of Common Stock upon death or permanent

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disability, or if employment is involuntarily terminated within two years after a change in control of the Company.

(3) A Restricted Share Unit is forfeited if the recipient ceases to be employed by the Company before it has been converted to Common Stock.

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