

Connolly John P.
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Connolly John P.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
Platform Specialty Products Corp [PAH]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
03/31/2018

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Chief Financial Officer

C/O PLATFORM SPECIALTY PRODUCTS CORP, 1450 CENTREPARK BLVD, SUITE 210

(Street)

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

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

WEST PALM BEACH, FL 33401

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

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. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				(A) or (D)	Price			
				Code	V	Amount		
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	03/31/2018		M	5,966	A	<u>(1)</u>	17,248	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	04/02/2018		F	2,111	D	<u>(2)</u>	\$ 9.31 15,137	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 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities 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)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	(3)	03/31/2018		M	5,966 (1)	(3) (3)	Common Stock	5,966

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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1450 CENTREPARK BLVD, SUITE 210
WEST PALM BEACH, FL 33401

Chief Financial Officer

Signatures

/s/ John P. Connolly 04/02/2018

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

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

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(1) This transaction represents the settlement of 5,966 restricted stock units ("RSUs") which vested on 03/31/2018, with a transaction date of 04/02/2018, the first business day following the vesting date. Each RSU represented a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's common stock.

(2) Represents shares of the Issuer's common stock sold solely to satisfy tax withholding obligations of the reporting person due upon the vesting of the RSUs described in footnote (1) above.

(3)

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The original grant received by the reporting person was 23,866 RSUs, as previously reported on 09/13/2016, of which 17,900 vested on 03/31/2017, as previously reported on 03/31/2017. This transaction relates to the vesting of the remaining 5,966 RSUs. Each RSU represented a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's common stock.

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