

OWENS & MINOR INC/VA/

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LOWERY CHRISTOPHER M

FORM 3

(Initial Statement of Beneficial Ownership)

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Address	9120 LOCKWOOD BLVD MECHANICSVILLE, VA, 23116
Telephone	8047237000
CIK	0000075252
Symbol	OMI
SIC Code	5047 - Wholesale-Medical, Dental and Hospital Equipment and Supplies
Industry	Medical Equipment, Supplies & Distribution
Sector	Healthcare
Fiscal Year	12/31

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] Lowery Christopher M <small>(Last) (First) (Middle)</small>		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (MM/DD/YYYY) 1/3/2018	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol OWENS & MINOR INC/VA/ [OMI]
4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below) President, Global Products /		5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (MM/DD/YYYY)	
6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		7. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	
8. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)		9. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
10. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)		11. Title of Derivate Security (Instr. 4)	
12. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (MM/DD/YYYY)		13. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	
14. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		15. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
16. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)		17. Date Exercisable	
18. Expiration Date		19. Title	
20. Amount or Number of Shares		21. Amount or Number of Shares	

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g. , puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

Explanation of Responses:
No securities are beneficially owned.

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Lowery Christopher M OWENS & MINOR, INC. 9120 LOCKWOOD BOULEVARD MECHANICSVILLE, VA 23116			President, Global Products	

Signatures
Christopher M. Lowery, by Rosemarie France, POA **1/5/2018**
^{**}Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.
* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(b)(v).
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POWER OF ATTORNEY

This Statement confirms that the undersigned, Christopher M. Lowery, has authorized, designated and appointed each of Nicholas J. Pace and Rosemarie W. France his or her lawful attorney-in-fact and agent, with full power of attorney and agency to execute and file on the undersigned's behalf all Forms 3, 4 and 5 (including any amendments thereto) that the undersigned may be required to file with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission as a result of the undersigned's ownership of or transactions in securities of Owens & Minor, Inc. The authority of each of Nicholas J. Pace and Rosemarie W. France under this power of attorney shall continue until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4 and 5 with regard to the undersigned's ownership of or transactions in Owens & Minor, Inc., unless earlier revoked in writing. The undersigned expressly acknowledges that neither Nicholas J. Pace nor Rosemarie W. France is assuming any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

01/02/2018 /s/ Christopher M. Lowery

Date Signature