

# PLATFORM SPECIALTY PRODUCTS CORP

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## **FORM 4**

(Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership)

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# FORM 4

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN 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 - <b>Connolly John P.</b>  (Last) (First) (Middle) <b>C/O PLATFORM SPECIALTY PRODUCTS CORP, 1450 CENTREPARK BLVD, SUITE 210</b>  (Street) <b>WEST PALM BEACH, FL 33401</b>  (City) (State) (Zip)		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <b>Platform Specialty Products Corp [ PAH ]</b>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  <input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>X</b> Officer (give title below) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below) <b>Chief Financial Officer</b>
		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY) <b>3/31/2017</b>	
		4. 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

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Trans. Date	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	3. Trans. 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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	3/31/2017		M		17900	A	(1)	17900	D	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	3/31/2017		F		6618	D	(2)	11282	D	

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

1. Title of Derivate Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Trans. Date	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Trans. 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		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Restricted Stock Units	\$0.0 (3)	3/31/2017		M		17900	(1)	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	17900.0	(3)	5966	D	

### Explanation of Responses:

- ( This transaction represents the settlement of 17,900 restricted stock units ("RSUs") previously reported on 09/13/2016 which vested on 03/31/2017. Each
- 1) RSU represented a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's common stock.
  - ( This number represents shares of the Issuer's common stock withheld by the Issuer to satisfy the tax withholding obligations due upon the vesting of the RSUs
  - 2) described in footnote 1 above.
  - ( This RSU grant was previously reported on 09/13/2016. The remaining 5,966 RSUs will vest on 03/31/2018, subject to continuous service. Each RSU
  - 3) represent a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's common stock.

### Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
<b>Connolly John P.</b> <b>C/O PLATFORM SPECIALTY PRODUCTS CORP</b> <b>1450 CENTREPARK BLVD, SUITE 210</b> <b>WEST PALM BEACH, FL 33401</b>			<b>Chief Financial Officer</b>	

### Signatures

/s/ **John P. Connolly**

**3/31/2017**

\*\* 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 4(b)(v).

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