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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> BALDWIN DENNIS S		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ROWAN COMPANIES PLC [RDC]				
(Last) (First)	(Middle)	04/04/2016	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		ţ.	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	
2800 POST OAK BLVD., SUITE 5450			(Check all applicable)			,	
(Street)			Director 10% Owner X_Officer Other (give title below) (specify below)		r ow)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting	
HOUSTON, TX 77056			Chief Accounting Officer		er	Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	
(City) (State)	(Zip)	Table I - N	Non-Derivat	tive Securiti	ies Bei	neficially Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 4)		2. Amount of Beneficially (Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nat Owne (Instr.	*	
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security		4. Conversion or Exercise	5. Ownership Form of	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	(Instr. 4) Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
BALDWIN DENNIS S 2800 POST OAK BLVD. SUITE 5450 HOUSTON, TX 77056	Â	Â	Chief Accounting Officer	Â		
Signatures						
/s/ Melanie M. Trent, Attorney-in-Fact	04/04/2016					
**Signature of Reporting Person		Date				
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Explanation of Responses:

No securities are beneficially owned

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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).

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Remarks:

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