

SILLS LAWRENCE I
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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, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
SILLS LAWRENCE I

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
STANDARD MOTOR PRODUCTS INC [SMP]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

STANDARD MOTOR PRODUCTS, INC., 37-18 NORTHERN BLVD.

10/11/2018

Executive Chairman

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

LONG ISLAND CITY, NY 11101

Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(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 | | |
| Common Stock | 10/11/2018 | | A | 2,000 | A \$ 0 ⁽¹⁾ | 665,921 | D |
| Common Stock | 10/12/2018 | | A | 1,906 | A \$ 0 ⁽²⁾ | 667,827 | D |
| Common Stock | 10/15/2018 | | S | 1,000 | D \$ 44.14 ⁽³⁾ | 666,827 | D |
| Common Stock | | | | | | 11,924 ⁽⁴⁾ | D |
| | | | | | | 2,812 | I |

Common
Stock

See Note
(5)

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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 3) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--|---|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|--------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| SILLS LAWRENCE I STANDARD MOTOR PRODUCTS, INC. 37-18 NORTHERN BLVD. LONG ISLAND CITY, NY 11101 | X | | Executive Chairman | |

Signatures

/s/ Lawrence I. Sills 10/15/2018

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Grant of restricted stock under the Company's 2016 Omnibus Incentive Plan.
- (2) Shares granted upon the vesting of a performance share award issued to the reporting person in October 2015 under the Company's 2006 Omnibus Incentive Plan.

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This transaction was a broker-assisted sale of shares to cover the payment of withholding tax liability incurred upon the vesting of restricted stock and a performance share award issued to the reporting person in October 2015 under the Company's 2006 Omnibus

- (3) Incentive Plan. This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$43.97 to \$44.25. The price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.
- (4) ESOP shares beneficially owned. Allocations and/or dispositions may have occurred since the date of the reporting person's last ownership report.
- (5) Shares held by spouse.

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