Woodward, Inc. Form 4 May 05, 2014

## FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Rudolph James D

(Middle) (First)

1000 EAST DRAKE ROAD

(Street)

FORT COLLINS, CO 80525

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Woodward, Inc. [WWD]

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

05/02/2014

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner

X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)

President, Ind. Turb. Systems

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

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

3.

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code (Instr. 8)

Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

(A)

5. Amount of Securities Owned

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

Beneficially Following Reported Transaction(s)

6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I)

7. Nature of Indirect Ownership

(Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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 Conversion Security or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) any

4. Execution Date, if

5. Number of **Transaction**Derivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8	or Dispo (D) (Instr. 3, and 5)	sed of				(I	
				Code '	V (A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Stock	(1)	05/02/2014		A	38.178	<b>,</b>	(1)(2)	(1)(2)	Woodward, Inc. Common Stock	38.178	

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Rudolph James D

1000 EAST DRAKE ROAD President, Ind. Turb. Systems FORT COLLINS, CO 80525

### **Signatures**

Jody L. Harrell, by Power of Attorney

05/05/2014

\*\*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).

Represents deferred salary invested in phantom stock units under the terms of the Woodward Executive Benefit Plan (the "Plan").

Phantom stock units are accrued under the Plan and are to be settled in 100% common stock on a one-for-one basis at the distribution date

- specified at the time of election, or if earlier, upon separation from the Company. The total shown represents the dollar amount of salary deferred divided by the then current share price and, therefore, the number of shares reported may fluctuate from period to period. The total shown also includes amounts attributable to phantom stock units acquired in connection with reinvested dividends, supplemental excess benefit contributions, and other acquisitions made under the Plan.
- Pursuant to an election made by the reporting person to defer a portion of the reporting person's 2014 annual salary pursuant to the Plan, a portion of the reporting person's salary was invested in phantom stock units on the transaction date.

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