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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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Symbol STANLEY BLACK & DECKER, INC. [SWK]

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

(Street)

(State)

03/05/2018

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

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

(Month/Day/Year) 1000 STANLEY DRIVE

(Zip)

03/05/2018

EVP & Group Executive-GT&S

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Person

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

NEW BRITAIN, CT 06053

(City)

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

3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Direct (D) Owned Following or Indirect

7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

Code V Amount (D) Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

Price 6,408 A A 58,747 D 163.29 (1)

(A)

Common Stock (2)

Common

Stock

Through Ι 937.5662

Computershare Under ESPP

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. DiNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration D (Month/Day/	te Exercisable and ation Date Underlying th/Day/Year) (Instr. 3 and		Securities
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Interest in Employer Stock Fund (Supplemental Plan) (3)	<u>(4)</u>					<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	1,284.3668
Interest In Employer Stock Fund (401(k) Plan)	<u>(4)</u>					<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	1,342.516

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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NEW BRITAIN, CT 06053

EVP & Group Executive-GT&S

Signatures

/s/ Kathryn P. Sherer,

Attorney-in-Fact 03/05/2018

**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) Shares issued pursuant to the 2015-2017 performance awards program under the Company's 2013 Long-Term Incentive Plan, net of shares withheld to cover taxes.
- Aggregate number of shares held in ESPP as of the last day of the calendar month that ended at least 10 days prior to the date of this report, including shares acquired or disposed of on various dates since balance was last reported. Because interest in Plan is denominated in cash, fluctuation in share price since the balance was last reported may have resulted in either an increase or decrease in associated number of shares.

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- (3) Represents shares notionally held for the reporting person under the Company's Supplemental Plan as of the last day of the previous calendar month including changes in holding since balance was last reported.
- (4) Exempt
- (5) Represents shares held for the reporting person under the Company's 401(k) Savings Plan as of the last day of the previous calendar month including shares acquired or disposed of on various dates since balance was last reported.

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