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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Maue Richard A			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CRANE CO /DE/ [CR]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an applicable)		
100 FIRST STAMFORD PLACE		PLACE	(Month/Day/Year) 01/27/2018	Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) V.P. Finance & CFO		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
STAMFORD, CT 06902-6784				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State) (Zij	Table I	- Non-Der	ivative Securitie	s Acqui	ired, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acor(A) or Disposed (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 3) (A) or Amount (D)	d of	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)
CRANE CO. COMMON, PAR VALUE \$1.00	01/27/2018		M	` /	\$ 0	30,113	D	
CRANE CO. COMMON, PAR VALUE \$1.00	01/27/2018		F	113 <u>(1)</u> D	\$ 93.4	30,000	D	

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	2.	3. Transaction Date		4.	5. Numbe		6. Date Exercisable and		7. Title and Amount of	
Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	e (Month/Day	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Share Unit	<u>(2)</u>	01/27/2018		M	37′ (1)	(2)	<u>(3)</u>	CRANE CO. COMMON, PAR VALUE \$1.00	377	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Maue Richard A

100 FIRST STAMFORD PLACE V.P. Finance & CFO STAMFORD, CT 06902-6784

Signatures

Attorney In Fact,
Christopher Dee
01/30/2018

**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).
- On January 27, 2018, 377 Restricted Share Units, which represent the right to receive one share of Crane Co. Common Stock, previously (1) reported as beneficially owned by the reporting person, vested due to the passage of time, and 113 shares were withheld to pay taxes on the resulting gain, resulting in a net issuance of 264 shares of Crane Co. Common Stock.
- (2) 25% of the Restricted Share Units granted will be converted into shares of Common Stock on each of the first, second, third and fourth anniversaries of the grant date (January 27, 2014), provided the recipient remains employed by the Company, or retires after age 65, or after age 62 with ten years of service; all Restricted Share Units will be converted into shares of Common Stock upon death or permanent

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disability, or if employment is involuntarily terminated within two years after a change in control of the Company.

(3) A Restricted Share Unit is forfeited if the recipient ceases to be employed by the Company before it has been converted to Common Stock.

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