

Platform Specialty Products Corp  
 Form 3  
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**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

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|---|---|--|---|---|--|
| <p>1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *</p> <p>Â Gibbens Mark</p> <p>(Last) (First) (Middle)</p> <p>1450 CENTREPARK BLVD,<br/>                 SUITE 210</p> <p>(Street)</p> <p>WEST PALM<br/>                 BEACH,Â FLÂ 33401</p> <p>(City) (State) (Zip)</p> | <p>2. Date of Event Requiring Statement</p> <p>(Month/Day/Year)</p> <p>09/13/2016</p> | <p>3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol</p> <p>Platform Specialty Products Corp [PAH]</p> | <p>4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer</p> <p>(Check all applicable)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner<br/> <input type="checkbox"/> Officer <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other<br/>                 (give title below) (specify below)<br/>                 VP - Corporate Treasurer</p> | <p>5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)</p> | <p>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person<br/> <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person</p> |
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

|   |   |  |   |
|---|---|--|---|
| <p>1. Title of Security<br/>                 (Instr. 4)</p> | <p>2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned<br/>                 (Instr. 4)</p> | <p>3. Ownership Form:<br/>                 Direct (D)<br/>                 or Indirect (I)<br/>                 (Instr. 5)</p> | <p>4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership<br/>                 (Instr. 5)</p> |
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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. SEC 1473 (7-02)

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

|  |   |  |   |   |   |
|--|---|--|---|---|---|
| <p>1. Title of Derivative Security<br/>                 (Instr. 4)</p> | <p>2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date<br/>                 (Month/Day/Year)</p> <p>Date Exercisable      Expiration Date</p> | <p>3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security<br/>                 (Instr. 4)</p> <p>Title      Amount or Number of Shares</p> | <p>4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security</p> | <p>5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security:<br/>                 Direct (D)<br/>                 or Indirect (I)</p> | <p>6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership<br/>                 (Instr. 5)</p> |
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(Instr. 5)

|                         |       |       |              |        |        |   |   |
|-------------------------|-------|-------|--------------|--------|--------|---|---|
| Performance Stock Units | Â (1) | Â (1) | Common Stock | 22,241 | \$ (1) | D | Â |
| Restricted Stock Units  | Â (2) | Â (2) | Common Stock | 11,104 | \$ (2) | D | Â |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |         |                             |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-----------------------------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other                       |
| Gibbens Mark<br>1450 CENTREPARK BLVD, SUITE 210<br>WEST PALM BEACH, FL 33401 | Â             | Â         | Â       | VP - Corporate<br>Treasurer |

## Signatures

/s/ Mark  
Gibbens

09/13/2016

\*\*Signature of  
Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* 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).

Effective September 13, 2016, the reporting person received a target number of 22,241 performance stock units ("PSU"). Each PSU represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's common stock and will vest upon the achievements of certain

(1) performance levels based on the Issuer's (i) return on invested capital, as measured from January 1, 2016 to December 31, 2018, and (ii) annual compound total shareholder return, as measured from August 30, 2016 to March 15, 2019. The number of shares reported in column 3 may range from zero to a maximum number of 55,602 shares.

(2) Effective September 13, 2016, the reporting person received 11,104 restricted stock units ("RSU"). Each RSU represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's common stock and will vest on August 30, 2019, subject to continuous service.

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