

SKYWEST INC  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Steel Wade J

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
444 S RIVER ROAD  
(Street)

SAINT GEORGE, UT 84790

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
SKYWEST INC [SKYW]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
02/16/2016

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_X\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Chief Commercial Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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)
Common Stock	02/16/2016		F	1,205 D	\$ 64,201 <sup>(1)</sup> 15.26	D	
Common Stock					582 <sup>(3)</sup>	I	401k Plan

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. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 13.24					02/13/2016 02/13/2020	Common Stock	4,895
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 12.1					02/18/2017 02/18/2021	Common Stock	5,429
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 11.36					05/15/2017 05/15/2021	Common Stock	6,059
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 13.51					02/17/2016 <sup>(2)</sup> 02/17/2022	Common Stock	19,386
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 14.78					02/10/2017 <sup>(4)</sup> 02/10/2023	Common Shares	20,674

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Steel Wade J 444 S RIVER ROAD SAINT GEORGE, UT 84790			Chief Commercial Officer	

## Signatures

Wade J. Steel

02/17/2016

\*\*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).

Includes 61,705 restricted stock units, of which 35,274 vest three years from the date of grant and 26,431 vest upon achievement of

- (1) performance measurements three years from the date of grant. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock.
- (2) Stock Options become exercisable in equal annual installments of 33.33% starting on February 17, 2016.
- (3) Shares held under the company 401k plan.
- (4) Stock Options become exercisable in equal annual installments of 33.33% starting on February 10, 2017.

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