

Knowles Corp
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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 *
New Jeffrey

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O KNOWLES CORPORATION, 1151 MAPLEWOOD DRIVE

(Street)

ITASCA, IL 60143

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
Knowles Corp [KN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
11/11/2015

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
President & CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | | (A) or (D) Code V Amount Price | | | |
| Common Stock | 11/11/2015 | | J ⁽¹⁾ | 2,910 D \$ 19.63 | 182,902 | D | |
| Common Stock | 02/15/2016 | | F | 2,184 ⁽²⁾ D \$ 9.98 | 180,718 | D | |
| Common Stock | 02/16/2016 | | S ⁽³⁾ | 941 D \$ 9.68 | 179,777 | D | |
| Common Stock | 02/17/2016 | | P | 2,500 A \$ 10.95 | 182,277 | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | 4,383.1184 | I | By 401(k) Plan |

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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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 6) |
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Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|-----------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Niew Jeffrey C/O KNOWLES CORPORATION 1151 MAPLEWOOD DRIVE ITASCA, IL 60143 | X | | President & CEO | |

Signatures

/s/ Mark Pacioni,
attorney-in-fact
Date: 02/17/2016

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) Since the date of Mr. Niew's last ownership report, he transferred 2,910 Knowles common stock to his ex-wife pursuant to a domestic relations order. Mr. Niew no longer reports as beneficially owned any securities owned by his ex-wife.
- (2) These shares represent the payment of the tax liability by withholding securities incident to the vesting of a restricted stock grant issued in accordance with Rule 16b-3.
- (3) The sale reported in this Form 4 was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on May 28, 2015.

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