

CRONIN JANE M.  
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# FORM 4

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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 \*  
CRONIN JANE M.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

SHERWIN WILLIAMS CO [SHW]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

11/22/2017

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

SVP - Corporate Controller

101 W. PROSPECT AVENUE

(Street)

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

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

CLEVELAND, OH 44115

(City) (State) (Zip)

### 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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or Price (D)		
Common Stock	11/22/2017		M		540 A \$ 180.46	3,878	D
Common Stock	11/22/2017		M		351 A \$ 227.73	4,229	D
Common Stock	11/22/2017		M		94 A \$ 239.55	4,323	D
Common Stock	11/22/2017		F		249 D \$ 390.3	4,074	D
Common Stock	11/22/2017		F		204 D \$ 390.36	3,870	D

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Common Stock	11/22/2017	F	57	D	\$ 390.51	3,813 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	
Common Stock						2,306.08 <sup>(2)</sup>	I	Stock 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
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 180.46	11/22/2017		M	540	10/16/2016 10/15/2023	Common Stock	540
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 227.73	11/22/2017		M	11	10/22/2016 10/21/2024	Common Stock	11
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 227.73	11/22/2017		M	340	10/22/2017 10/21/2024	Common Stock	340
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 239.55	11/22/2017		M	94	10/16/2017 10/15/2025	Common Stock	94

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
CRONIN JANE M. 101 W. PROSPECT AVENUE CLEVELAND, OH 44115			SVP - Corporate Controller	

## Signatures

Stephen J. Perisutti,  
Attorney-in-fact

11/27/2017

\_\_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) Of shares listed, 160 are restricted stock units.
  - (2) Represents the number of shares of common stock attributable to the reporting person's participation in The Sherwin-Williams Company Employee Stock Purchase and Savings Plan per the trustee's 09/30/2017 statement.

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