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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * WHITE RICHARD

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

ESCALADE INC [esca]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(City)

(First) (Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X_ Director

10% Owner

C/O ESCALADE

05/05/2016

(Month/Day/Year)

Officer (give title Other (specify

INCORPORATED, 817 MAXWELL

(State)

AVE

(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 Form filed by More than One Reporting

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

EVANSVILLE, IN 47711

| 1.Title of | 2. Transaction Date | 2A. Deemed | 3. | 4. Secur | ities A | cquired | 5. Amount of | 6. Ownership | 7. Nature of |
|-----------------|---------------------|--------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------|---------|-------------|------------------|--------------|--------------|
| Security | (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if | Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) | | | Securities | Form: Direct | Indirect | |
| (Instr. 3) | | any | Code | (Instr. 3, | 4 and | 5) | Beneficially | (D) or | Beneficial |
| | | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | | | | Owned | Indirect (I) | Ownership |
| | | | | | | | Following | (Instr. 4) | (Instr. 4) |
| | | | | | | | Reported | | |
| | | | | | (A) | | Transaction(s) | | |
| | | | ~ | | or | | (Instr. 3 and 4) | | |
| | | | Code V | Amount | (D) | Price | · · | | |
| Common Stock | 05/05/2016 | | A | 3,685 (1) | A | \$ 10.99 | 143,829 | 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)

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| 1. Title of | 2. | 3. Transaction Date | 3A. Deemed | 4. | 5. | 6. Date Exer | cisable and | 7. Title a | and | 8. Price of | 9. Nu |
|-------------|-------------|---------------------|--------------------|------------|------------|---------------------|-----------------|------------|--------|-------------|--------|
| Derivative | Conversion | (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if | Transacti | onNumber | Expiration D | ate | Amount | of | Derivative | Deriv |
| Security | or Exercise | | any | Code | of | (Month/Day | Year) | Underlyi | ing | Security | Secui |
| (Instr. 3) | Price of | | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | Derivativ | e | | Securitie | es | (Instr. 5) | Bene |
| | Derivative | | | | Securities | 3 | | (Instr. 3 | and 4) | | Own |
| | Security | | | | Acquired | | | | | | Follo |
| | | | | | (A) or | | | | | | Repo |
| | | | | | Disposed | | | | | | Trans |
| | | | | | of (D) | | | | | | (Instr |
| | | | | | (Instr. 3, | | | | | | |
| | | | | | 4, and 5) | | | | | | |
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| | | | | | | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | | umber | | |
| | | | | | | | | 0 | | | |
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | | | | hares | | |

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address Director 10% Owner Officer Other

WHITE RICHARD C/O ESCALADE INCORPORATED 817 MAXWELL AVE **EVANSVILLE, IN 47711**

X

Signatures

/s/Richard D. 05/06/2016 White

**Signature of Date Reporting Person

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).
- The grant of stock is in lieu of cash compensation earned for services as a Director. The common stock is awarded pursuant to the Escalade Incorporated 2007 Incentive Plan.

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