

SHERWIN WILLIAMS CO

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,
Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Â Knight Timothy A

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

2. Date of Event Requiring Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

10/05/2015

3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
SHERWIN WILLIAMS CO [SHW]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
☒ Officer ____ Other
 (give title below) (specify below)
 SVP-Corp Plan, Develop & Admin

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

101 W. PROSPECT AVENUE

(Street)

CLEVELAND,Â OHÂ 44115

(City)

(State)

(Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned1. Title of Security
(Instr. 4)2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned
(Instr. 4)3. Ownership Form:
Direct (D)
or Indirect (I)
(Instr. 5)4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
(Instr. 5)

Common Stock

9,045 ⁽¹⁾

D

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Common Stock

16,380

I

By Family Trust

Common Stock

1,173.64 ⁽²⁾

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 Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)1. Title of Derivative Security
(Instr. 4)2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date
(Month/Day/Year)

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security

4. Conversion or Exercise

5. Ownership Form of

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	(Instr. 4) Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	(Instr. 5)
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	10/17/2013	10/16/2022	Common Stock	3,334	\$ 154.4325	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	10/17/2014	10/16/2022	Common Stock	3,333	\$ 154.4325	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	10/17/2015	10/16/2022	Common Stock	3,333	\$ 154.4325	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	10/16/2014	10/15/2023	Common Stock	2,500	\$ 180.46	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	10/16/2015	10/15/2023	Common Stock	2,500	\$ 180.46	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	10/16/2016	10/15/2023	Common Stock	2,500	\$ 180.46	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	10/22/2015	10/21/2024	Common Stock	2,034	\$ 227.73	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	10/22/2016	10/21/2024	Common Stock	2,033	\$ 227.73	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	10/22/2017	10/21/2024	Common Stock	2,033	\$ 227.73	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Knight Timothy A 101 W. PROSPECT AVENUE CLEVELAND, OH 44115	Â	Â	Â SVP-Corp Plan, Develop & Admin	Â

Signatures

Catherine M. Kilbane,
Attorney-in-fact

10/09/2015

__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).

(1) Of shares listed, 6,870 are restricted stock and 2,175 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 10/05/2015 statement.

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Remarks:

ExhibitÂ 24,Â PowerÂ ofÂ Attorney,Â isÂ attached.

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