

Otter Tail Corp  
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# FORM 4

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN 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 \*  
**MACFARLANE CHARLES S**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

215 S CASCADE ST

(Street)

FERGUS FALLS, MN 56537-2801

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**Otter Tail Corp [OTTR]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**02/11/2015**

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 & COO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  
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**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)
			Code	V	Amount or Price (D)		
Common Stock	02/11/2015		M		13,220	A	(1)
Common Stock	02/11/2015		F		4,549	D	(1)
Common Stock					2,160.5098	I	ESOP
Common Stock					1,730.3181	I	By daughter
Common Stock					1,730.3181	I	By son

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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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Fair Market Value of Underlying Security at Date of Acquisition or Disposition (Instr. 3 and 4)	9. Other Information
Performance Rights	(4)	02/11/2015		M	13,220	(5)	Common Stock	13	
Restricted Stock Units (right to buy)	(7)					02/06/2016	Common Stock	8	
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 24.93					10/11/2005(8) 04/11/2015	Common Stock	3	

### Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MACFARLANE CHARLES S 215 S CASCADE ST FERGUS FALLS, MN 56537-2801			President & COO	

### Signatures

/s/ Charles S MacFarlane by Debra J Lill, Attorney-in-Fact  
Date: 02/12/2015

\*\*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) The fair market value of date of grant 4/16/2012 was \$21.32 with fair market value on vesting date of \$31.675.

(2)

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Total direct holdings include shares acquired through the Dividend Reinvestment Plan, the Employee Stock Purchase Plan and shares acquired pursuant to Stock Options, Restricted Stock Awards, Restricted Stock Units and Performance Share Awards.

- (3) Performance Award: On 2/11/2015, 4,549 shares were withheld by the Corporation to pay taxes due upon vesting of this award, exempt pursuant to Rule 16b-3(e).
- (4) This Performance Share Award had no conversion or exercise price established at the time of the grant.
- (5) There is no specific "Exercisable Date" on this Performance Share Award.
- (6) There is no specific "Expiration Date" on this Performance Share Award.
- (7) 1 -for -1
- (8) Stock Options vest 100% six months from the date of the grant.

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