BERRY PLASTICS GROUP INC

Form 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Thompson Jeffrey D. | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BERRY PLASTICS GROUP INC [BERY] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | |
|---|----------------|----------|--|---|--|--|--|
| (Last) 101 OAKLEY | (First) STREET | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/16/2015 | Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) Executive Vice President | | | |
| | (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 | | | |
| EVANSVILLE, IN 47710 | | | | Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | |

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) 5. Amount of 7. Nature of (Month/Day/Year) Ownership Security Execution Date, if Transaction Disposed of (D) Securities Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Beneficial Ownership (Month/Day/Year) Owned Direct (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 4) Following or Indirect Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount Price Common 11/16/2015 M 23,875 Α \$8.16 55,487 D Stock \$ Common 11/16/2015 S 35.5911 31,612 D 23,875 D Stock (1) Common 11/16/2015 M 60,000 \$ 16 91,612 D Stock \$ Common S 35.5911 D 11/16/2015 60,000 D 31,612 Stock (1) \$21 11/16/2015 M 14,000 Α 45,612 D

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Common Stock

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of ionDerivative 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) | |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|--|--------|--|--------------------|---|-------------------------------------|
| | | | | Code V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 8.16 | 11/16/2015 | | M | | 23,875 | (2) | 12/31/2016 | Common Stock | 23,875 |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 16 | 11/16/2015 | | M | | 60,000 | <u>(3)</u> | 10/02/2022 | Common Stock | 60,000 |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 21 | 11/16/2015 | | M | | 14,000 | (3) | 11/25/2023 | Common Stock | 14,000 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|---|--|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | | | Other |
| | | | | _ | | |

Executive Vice President

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Thompson Jeffrey D. 101 OAKLEY STREET EVANSVILLE, IN 47710

Signatures

Jason K. Greene, as attorney-in-fact

11/17/2015

**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).
- Weighted Average from 71 transactions with prices ranging from \$35.29 to \$35.93 per share. Upon request by the Commission Staff, the
- (1) issuer, or a security holder of the issuer, the reporting person will undertake to provide full information regarding the # of shares sold at each price.
- (2) Granted under the 2006 Equity Incentive Plan. All options are vested.
- (3) Granted under the 2012 Equity Incentive Plan. Options vest 20% on each of the first five anniversaries of the grant date, subject to the terms and conditions of the Plan and award.

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