DeCata Michael G Form 4 March 09, 2018

### FORM 4

#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** Section 16. Form 4 or

Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* DeCata Michael G

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

below)

LAWSON PRODUCTS INC/NEW/DE/ [LAWS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

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(Last) (First) (Middle)

> (Month/Day/Year) 03/07/2018

10% Owner \_X\_\_ Director X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify

President and CEO

C/O LAWSON PRODUCTS. INC., 8770 WEST BRYN MAWR **AVENUE, SUITE 900** 

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

CHICAGO, IL 60631

| (City)                               | (State)                                 | (Zip) Table   | e I - Non-D                            | erivative                             | Secur                        | ities Acq   | uired, Disposed o  | f, or Beneficial   | ly Owned  |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|--|---------------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------|--|--|---|
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3.<br>Transactic<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securi<br>on(A) or D<br>(Instr. 3, | ispose<br>4 and<br>(A)<br>or | d of (D)    | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or<br>Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
| Common<br>Stock, \$1<br>par value    | 03/07/2018                              |   | P                                      | 20                                    | ` '                          | \$<br>24.65 | 22,642   | D  |   |
| Common<br>Stock, \$1<br>par value    | 03/07/2018                              |   | P                                      | 80                                    | A                            | \$<br>24.75 | 22,722   | D  |   |
| Common<br>Stock, \$1<br>par value    | 03/07/2018                              |   | P                                      | 400                                   | A                            | \$ 24.8     | 23,122   | D  |   |

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| Common<br>Stock, \$1<br>par value | 03/07/2018 | P | 69  | A | \$ 24.9     | 23,191 | D |
|-----------------------------------|------------|---|-----|---|-------------|--------|---|
| Common<br>Stock, \$1<br>par value | 03/07/2018 | P | 200 | A | \$<br>24.95 | 23,391 | D |
| Common<br>Stock, \$1<br>par value | 03/07/2018 | P | 200 | A | \$ 25       | 23,591 | 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)

| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transacti<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number<br>or Derivative<br>Securities<br>Acquired<br>(A) or<br>Disposed of<br>(D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4,<br>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<br>Exercisable                                      | Expiration<br>Date | Title   | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares |
| Restricted<br>Stock<br>Awards (1)                   | \$ 0  | 03/07/2018                              |   | A                                     | 5,000   | 03/07/2021   | 03/07/2021         | Common<br>Stock   | 5,000                                  |

# **Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                | Relationships       |           |                   |       |  |  |
|---|---------------------|-----------|-------------------|-------|--|--|
|   | Director            | 10% Owner | Officer           | Other |  |  |
| DeCata Michael G<br>C/O LAWSON PRODUCTS, INC. |                     |           | D 11 1670         |       |  |  |
| 8770 WEST BRYN MAWR AVENUE, SUITE 900         | X President and CEC |           | President and CEO |       |  |  |
| CHICAGO IL 60631                              |                     |           |                   |       |  |  |

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## **Signatures**

/s/ Neil E. Jenkins, Attorney-in-Fact

03/09/2018

\*\*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) Represents the right to receive shares of common stock at the exercise date in an amount equal to the number of restricted stock awards. Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.

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