Platform Specialty Products Corp Form 4 March 20, 2015

# FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * ASHKEN IAN G H			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Platform Specialty Products Corp [PAH]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(Last) (First) (Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)					_X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)			
C/O PLAT PRODUCT CENTREP	03/20/2015					below)	ociow)				
(Street) WEST PALM BEACH, FL 33401				endment, E	Oate Original ar)			6. Individual or Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed b	y One Reportin	g Person	
WEST PA	33401						Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned										
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	eurity (Month/Day/Year) Execution		Date, if	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securitie on(A) or Disp (Instr. 3, 4	osed o	of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
~				Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)	(msu. 1)		
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	03/20/2015			<u>J(1)</u>	121,555 (1)	A	\$0	121,555	I	By Tasburgh LLC	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share								1,182,937	I	By Mariposa Acquisition, LLC	

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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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transactio	5. Mumber	6		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price Derivati Security (Instr. 5]
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month Day, Tear)	execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)					
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Series A Preferred Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	<u>(2)</u>					<u>(2)</u>	<u>(2)</u>	Common Stock	119,992	

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ASHKEN IAN G H C/O PLATFORM SPECIALTY PRODUCTS CORP., 1450 CENTREPARK BLVD, SUITE 210 WEST PALM BEACH, FL 33401



### **Signatures**

/s/ Ian G.H. 03/20/2015

\*\*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).
- (1) Pro rata distribution from Mariposa Acquisition, LLC, of which the reporting person is a non-managing member. In prior reports, the reporting person reported an indirect pecuniary interest in such shares.

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Each share of Series A Preferred Stock is convertible at any time at the election of the holder, on a one-for-one basis, into shares of the Issuer's common stock for no additional consideration. The Series A Preferred Stock shall automatically convert into the Issuer's common stock upon the earlier to occur of (i) a change of control of the Issuer or (ii) December 31, 2020 (unless extended in accordance with the terms of the Series A Preferred Stock).

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