

Kestner R. Steven  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
Kestner R. Steven

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
PREFORMED LINE PRODUCTS CO [PLPC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
3200 NATIONAL CITY CENTER  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
01/02/2018

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

CLEVELAND, OH 44114

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |   |  |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|---|--|
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | (A) or (D)  | Price   |  |   |   |  |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | Code  | V   | Amount   |   |   |  |
| Common shares, \$2 par value    | 01/02/2018                           |  | A                              | 87  | A   | \$ 71.05   | 87  | I | by rabbi trust for Deferred Compensation Plan <sup>(1)</sup> |
| Common shares, \$2 par value    |                                      |  |                                |   |   |  | 5,013 <sup>(2)</sup>                                  | 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 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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr |
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|  |  |                                      |  |                                |   | Date Exercisable   | Expiration Date   | Title                                      | Amount or Number of Shares                         |
|  |  |                                      |  |                                |   | Code   | V   | (A)  | (D)  |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Relationships |           |         |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Kestner R. Steven<br>3200 NATIONAL CITY CENTER<br>CLEVELAND, OH 44114 | X             |           |         |       |

## Signatures

/s/ Michael A. Weisbarth, by power of attorney  
 \*\*Signature of Reporting Person  
 01/02/2018  
 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 Company common shares held by a Rabbi Trust pursuant to the Reporting Person's election to defer 2018 directors' fees under the Company's Directors Deferred Compensation Plan (the "Plan"). Deferred amounts under the Plan shall be paid to the Reporting Person in a single distribution of Company common shares.
  - (2) Represents a change in nature of ownership of 469 shares which were previously held in a Rabbi Trust pursuant to the Reporting Person's election to defer 2017 directors' fees under the Plan. On January 2, 2018, 469 common shares were transferred from the Rabbi Trust to the Reporting Person.

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