BERRY PLASTICS GROUP INC

Form 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Salmon Tom | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | | |
|--|-------------|----------|--|---|--|--|
| | | | BERRY PLASTICS GROUP INC [BERY] | (Check all applicable) | | |
| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction | Director 10% Owner | | |
| 101 OAKLEY STREET | | | (Month/Day/Year) 12/01/2014 | X Officer (give title Other (specify below) President | | |
| | (Street) | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check | | |
| | . D. 45510 | | Filed(Month/Day/Year) | Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting | | |
| EVANSVILLE | E, IN 47/10 | | | 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 6. 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Code Form: Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Direct (D) Ownership Following or Indirect (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common 12/01/2014 M 6,400 A \$ 9.21 31,800 D Stock \$ Common 12/01/2014 S 29.1588 6,400 25,400 D D Stock (1) Common \$ 16 12/01/2014 M 21,697 47,097 D Stock \$ Common 12/01/2014 S 21,697 D 29.1588 D 25,400 Stock (1)

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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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of orDerivative 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 Share |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 9.21 | 12/01/2014 | | M | 6,400 | (2) | 01/01/2018 | Common Stock | 6,400 |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 16 | 12/01/2014 | | M | 21,697 | (3) | 10/31/2022(2) | Common Stock | 21,69 |

Reporting Owners

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

Salmon Tom

101 OAKLEY STREET President

EVANSVILLE, IN 47710

Signatures

Jason K. Greene, as attorney-in-fact 12/03/2014

**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).

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- Weighted average from 50 transactions with prices ranging from \$28.7100 to \$29.5250 per share. Upon request by the Commission Staff,
- (1) the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer, the reporting person will undertake to provide full information regarding the number of shares purchased at each separate price.
- (2) Granted under the 2006 Equity Incentive Plan. All options are vested.
- (3) Granted under the 2012 Equity Incentive Plan. Option vest on each of the first five anniversaries of the date of grant, subject to the terms and conditions of the plan and award agreement.

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