

VALSPAR CORP
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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 *
HECKES HOWARD C

(Last) (First) (Middle)

P.O. BOX 1461

(Street)

MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55440

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
VALSPAR CORP [VAL]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
06/24/2015

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

Executive Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
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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)
			Code	V Amount (D) Price			
common stock	06/24/2015		M	8,000 A \$ 19.76	55,107	D	
common stock	06/24/2015		S	8,000 D \$ 84.8208	47,107	D	
common stock					1,973 ⁽¹⁾	I	Savings and Retirement Plan

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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. Amount or Number of Shares
stock option (right to buy)	\$ 19.76	06/24/2015		M	8,000	10/13/2009 10/13/2018	common stock	8,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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P.O. BOX 1461
MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55440

Executive Vice President

Signatures

/s/ Linda Colman, by Power of Attorney

06/26/2015

**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).

(1) Vested shares in Valspar Savings and Retirement Plan as of allocation date 2/18/15

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