Fossil Group, Inc. Form 4 April 18, 2017

FORM 4

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> SECOR DENNIS R	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) (First) (Middle)	Fossil Group, Inc. [FOSL] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
901 S. CENTRAL EXPRESSWAY	(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specification) below) Executive V.P. and CFO			
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)			
RICHARDSON, TX 75080		_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting			

(City)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Own							ly Owned		
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. Transactio	4. Securities Acquired n(A) or Disposed of		5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect		
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(D)			Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Owned Following	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					(A)		Reported Transaction(s)			
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	04/15/2017		A	35,902 (1)	A	\$0	106,415	D		
Common Stock	04/15/2017		A	40,389 (2)	A	\$0	146,804 (3)	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)	Code	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	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 Shares
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 101.635					01/15/2014	01/15/2021	Common Stock	6,310
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 113.04					03/15/2015	03/15/2022	Common Stock	11,469
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 80.215					03/15/2016	03/15/2023	Common Stock	10,275
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 36.725					12/22/2016	12/22/2023	Common Stock	21,740
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 47.99					03/15/2017	03/15/2024	Common Stock	17,634

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SECOR DENNIS R 901 S. CENTRAL EXPRESSWAY RICHARDSON, TX 75080

Executive V.P. and CFO

Signatures

/s/ Dennis R. 04/18/2017 Secor

**Signature of Date Reporting Person

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- * 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) Restricted Stock Units that shall become vested and convertible into shares of Common Stock as to 50% on 4/15/19; as to 50% on 4/15/20, cumulatively.
- (2) Restricted Stock Units that shall become vested and convertible into shares of Common Stock as to 1/3 on 4/15/18; as to 1/3 on 4/15/19; as to 1/3 on 4/15/20, cumulatively.
- (3) After giving effect to the grant of Restricted Stock Units reported herein, consists of 120,454 Restricted Stock Units

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