

SIMPSON MANUFACTURING CO INC /CA/  
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**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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 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 * Â SIMPSON SHARON H (Last) (First) (Middle)  3669 MOUNT DIABLO BOULEVARD (Street)  LAFAYETTE, Â CA Â 94549 (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 12/15/2014	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SIMPSON MANUFACTURING CO INC /CA/ [SSD]	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable) <input type="checkbox"/> Director <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other (give title below) (specify below)	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock	6,355,548 <sup>(1)</sup>	I	By Trust
Common Stock	1,000,000	D	Â
Common Stock	145,000 <sup>(2)</sup>	I	By non-profit public benefit corporation
Common Stock	6,036 <sup>(3)</sup>	I	401(k)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SIMPSON SHARON H 3669 MOUNT DIABLO BOULEVARD LAFAYETTE, CA 94549	Â	Â X	Â	Â

## Signatures

/s/SHARON H.  
SIMPSON  
12/18/2014

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person                      Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) The shares are owned by Sharon H. Simpson, Trustee of the Barclay and Sharon Simpson 2007 Trust, dated May 25, 2007.
- (2) The shares are owned by the Simpson PSB Fund, a California nonprofit public benefit corporation, of which Sharon Simpson is a member of the Board of Directors. Sharon Simpson disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares.  
 These shares are owned by the Simpson Manufacturing Co., Inc. Profit Sharing Plan for Salaried Employees (the "Plan") of which Sharon Simpson is a beneficiary of Barclay Simpson's account. The Plan is qualified under sections 401(a)(26) and 410 of the Internal Revenue Code.

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