

Knowles Corp  
Form 4  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
New Jeffrey

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O KNOWLES CORPORATION, 1151 MAPLEWOOD DRIVE

(Street)

ITASCA, IL 60143

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
Knowles Corp [KN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
11/11/2015

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)  
President & CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | (A) or (D)  | Price   |  |                                   |
| Common Stock                    | 11/11/2015                           |  | J <sup>(1)</sup>               | 2,910 D   | \$ 19.63  | 182,902  | D                                 |
| Common Stock                    | 02/15/2016                           |  | F                              | 2,184 <sup>(2)</sup> D  | \$ 9.98   | 180,718  | D                                 |
| Common Stock                    | 02/16/2016                           |  | S <sup>(3)</sup>               | 941 D   | \$ 9.68   | 179,777  | D                                 |
| Common Stock                    | 02/17/2016                           |  | P                              | 2,500 A   | \$ 10.95  | 182,277  | D                                 |
| Common Stock                    |                                      |  |                                |   |   | 4,383.1184   | I                                 |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                |   |   |  | By 401(k) Plan                    |

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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. 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. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 6) |
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**Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Relationships |           |                 |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|-----------------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer         | Other |
| Niew Jeffrey<br>C/O KNOWLES CORPORATION<br>1151 MAPLEWOOD DRIVE<br>ITASCA, IL 60143 | X             |           | President & CEO |       |

**Signatures**

/s/ Mark Pacioni,  
attorney-in-fact  
\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

02/17/2016  
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) Since the date of Mr. Niew's last ownership report, he transferred 2,910 Knowles common stock to his ex-wife pursuant to a domestic relations order. Mr. Niew no longer reports as beneficially owned any securities owned by his ex-wife.
- (2) These shares represent the payment of the tax liability by withholding securities incident to the vesting of a restricted stock grant issued in accordance with Rule 16b-3.
- (3) The sale reported in this Form 4 was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on May 28, 2015.

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