GENUINE PARTS CO

Form 4

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Ac Stevens Will	•	rting Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			GENUINE PARTS CO [GPC]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	•			
2999 CIRCL	E 75 PKWY	7	(Month/Day/Year) 02/23/2015	Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Executive Vice President			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
ATLANTA, GA 30339			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Toble I Non Derivative Securities Ac	equired Disposed of or Ronoficially Owner			

(City)	(State) (Table Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securit	ties Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. Transactio	4. Securit on(A) or Dis		•	5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(Instr. 3, 4	and 5	5)	Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership
							Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
					(1)		Reported		
					(A)		Transaction(s)		
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	02/23/2015		M	30,000	A	\$ 96.2	, <u> </u>	D	
Common Stock	02/23/2015		F	21,586	D	\$ 96.2	115,344 (1)	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)	4. Transaction 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 Amoun Underlying Securiti (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amor or Numl of Sh
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 49.16	02/23/2015		M		30,000	03/27/2008	03/27/2017	Common Stock	30,0
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 49.16	02/23/2015		M		30,000	03/27/2008	03/27/2017	Common Stock	30,0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
Reporting Owner Maine / Address	

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Stevens William J 2999 CIRCLE 75 PKWY ATLANTA, GA 30339

Executive Vice President

Signatures

David A. Haskett Attorney o2/24/2015

**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) Includes 2,530 shares acquired through Genuine Partnership Plan (401-K)

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