STANLEY BLACK & DECKER, INC.

Form 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Add Douglas Craig		ng Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol STANLEY BLACK & DECKER, INC. [SWK]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) 1000 STANLE	(First) EY DRIVE	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/04/2016	Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) V.P. and Treasurer			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
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NEW BRITAIN, CT 00033			Person							
(City)	(State)	(Zip) Ta	ble I - Non	-Derivati	ve Sec	urities Acqu	ired, Disposed o	of, or Benefic	ially Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Transaction Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)			Securities Ownership India Beneficially Form: Own		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)	(
Common Stock	08/04/2016		M	5,000	A	\$ 64.785	31,524.891	D		
Common Stock	08/04/2016		S	5,000	D	\$ 122.625	26,524.891	D		
Common Stock	08/04/2016		S	3,529	D	\$ 122.615	22,995.891	D		
Common Stock (1)							2,012.5473	I	Through Computershare Under ESPP	

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number out 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 64.785	08/04/2016		M	5,000	(2)	12/08/2021	Common Stock	5,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Douglas Craig A 1000 STANLEY DRIVE

1000 STANLEY DRIVE V.P. and Treasurer

NEW BRITAIN, CT 06053

Signatures

/s/ Kathryn P. Sherer,

Attorney-in-Fact 08/05/2016

**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).
- Aggregate number of shares held in ESPP as of the last day of the calendar month that ended at least 10 days prior to the date of this report, including shares acquired or disposed of on various dates since balance was last reported. Because interest in Plan is denominated in cash, fluctuation in share price since the balance was last reported may have resulted in either an increase or decrease in associated number of shares.
- (2) Currently 100% vested

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