#### GARDNER DANIELSON B.

Form 4 October 03, 2017

## FORM 4

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of B GARDNER DANIE		2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol S&W Seed Co [SANW]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) (First)	) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
802 NORTH DOUT	Y STREET	(Month/Day/Year) 10/01/2017	Director 10% Owner _X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chief Marketing & Tech Officer			
(Stree	t)	4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
HANFORD, CA 932	230	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(Cit	y)	(State)	Zip) Table	I - Non-De	erivative S	Securi	ties Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title o Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Vear) Execution Date, if Transaction any Code (		4. Securities Acquired n(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Beneficially (D) or Owned Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
Commo Stock	on	10/01/2017		M <u>(1)</u>	529	A	\$0	1,256	D		
Comm	on	10/01/2017		F(2)	199	D	\$ 3.15	1,057	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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	Derivative	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		7. Title and Underlying S (Instr. 3 and		
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	(3)	10/01/2017		M	529	10/01/2017(4)	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	529	

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

GARDNER DANIELSON B. 802 NORTH DOUTY STREET HANFORD, CA 93230

Chief Marketing & Tech Officer

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### **Signatures**

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\*\*Signature of Date Reporting Person

## **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) Represents the settlement of restricted stock units ("RSUs") that vested on October 1, 2017 through the issuance of shares of common stock.
- The reporting person is reporting the withholding by the Issuer of an aggregate of 199 shares of common stock that vested on October 1, (2) 2017 pursuant to the RSU award referred to in Table II but that were not issued in order to satisfy the reporting person's tax withholding obligations upon settlement of the RSU award.
- (3) Each RSU is the economic equivalent of one share of S&W Seed Company common stock. The closing price of SANW on September 29, 2017 (the last trading day before the October 1, 2017 vesting date, which fell on a weekend) was \$3.15.
- On September 18, 2017, the reporting person was granted 6,351 RSUs, of which 529 vested on October 1, 2017. The remaining unvested (4) RSUs will continue to vest on the first day of each quarter through and including July 1, 2020, subject to the reporting person's continued service with the Issuer on each respective vesting date.

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