

MOTTERN CHRISTOPHER P

Form 4

February 15, 2018

FORM 4
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. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
MOTTERN CHRISTOPHER P

(Last) (First) (Middle)

FARMER BROS. CO., 1912
FARMER BROTHERS DRIVE

(Street)

NORTHLAKE, TX 76262

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

FARMER BROTHERS CO [FARM]

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

02/13/2018

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)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	02/13/2018		P		1,000	A \$ 30.3256 <u>(1)</u>	13,000	I	By self as co-trustee for Mottern Family Trust.
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	02/14/2018		P		500	A \$ 30.12 <u>(2)</u>	13,500	I	By self as co-trustee for Mottern Family Trust.

Common
Stock,
\$1.00 par
value

6,478 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 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 Report Transaction (Instr. 6)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MOTTERN CHRISTOPHER P
FARMER BROS. CO.
1912 FARMER BROTHERS DRIVE
NORTHLAKE, TX 76262

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Signatures

/s/ David G. Robson Attorney-In-Fact for Christopher P.
Mottern

02/15/2018

____ 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) Open market purchase. This transaction was executed in multiple trades ranging from \$30.295 to \$30.345 per share. The price reported above is the weighted average purchase price. The Reporting Person hereby undertakes to provide upon request by the SEC, the issuer, or

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a security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.

(2) Open market purchase. This transaction was executed in a single trade at a price of \$30.12 per share.

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