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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Peterson Terry D

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

RR Donnelley & Sons Co [RRD]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

See Remarks

Issuer

(Last)

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

10/01/2016

Director X_ Officer (give title below)

10% Owner Other (specify

C/O R. R. DONNELLEY & SONS COMPANY, 35 WEST WACKER **DRIVE**

(Street)

(State)

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 Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

CHICAGO, IL 60601

(City)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially (D) or Owned (Instr. 4) Following Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A) Transaction(s) or

(Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount

A

(D) Price

Common Stock

10/01/2016

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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)

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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Peterson Terry D C/O R. R. DONNELLEY & SONS COMPANY 35 WEST WACKER DRIVE CHICAGO, IL 60601

See Remarks

Signatures

/s/ Deborah L. Steiner, Deborah L. Steiner, Attorney-in-Fact for Terry D. Peterson

10/04/2016

**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).

Terry D. Peterson has been awarded restricted stock units ("RSUs") with a value of \$1,300,000. The number of shares of common stock owned does not reflect ownership of RSUs because the number of RSUs will be determined based on a ten trading day value weighted average price of R. R. Donnelley & Sons Company ("RRD") common stock following the date of grant. Mr. Peterson's RSUs will vest on the following schedule: \$300,000 worth of RSUs on the first anniversary of the date of grant, \$500,000 worth of RSUs on the second

the following schedule: \$300,000 worth of RSUs on the first anniversary of the date of grant, \$500,000 worth of RSUs on the second anniversary of the date of grant, and \$500,000 worth of RSUs on the third anniversary of the date of grant. The Reporting Person will amend this Form 4 when such information is available.

Remarks:

Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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