#### ESTEE LAUDER COMPANIES INC

Form 4 July 15, 2016

### FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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obligations

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** 

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

may continue. See Instruction

1(b).

(Last)

(Instr. 3)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

FORESTER LYNN

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

**ESTEE LAUDER COMPANIES** 

INC [EL]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 07/14/2016

ELR HOLDINGS, LTD., 435 EAST **52ND STREET** 

(First)

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Officer (give title

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

Issuer

below)

X\_ Director

Applicable Line)

NEW YORK, NY 10022

(State) (Zip) (City) 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Middle)

3. TransactionAcquired (A) or Code (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)

4. Securities Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I) (Instr. 4)

7. Nature of Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)

10% Owner

Other (specify

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

(Check all applicable)

Estimated average

burden hours per

Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

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)

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 1. Title of

5. Number of

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** 

7. Title and Amount of 8. Pr Underlying Securities

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired or Dispos (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	(A) sed of	(Month/Day	/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)		Secu (Insti
				Code V	7 (A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Units (Cash Payout)	(1)	07/14/2016		A(2)	220.67		(3)	(3)	Class A Common Stock	220.67	\$ 9

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
FORESTER LYNN ELR HOLDINGS, LTD. 435 EAST 52ND STREET NEW YORK, NY 10022	X					

### **Signatures**

Lynn Forester de Rothschild, by Maureen Sladek, Attorney-in-fact

07/15/2016

\*\*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).
- (1) Each Stock Unit (cash payout) is convertible into cash equal to the value of one share of Class A Common Stock (i.e. 1:1).
- (2) Represents grant of Stock Units in lieu of cash for quarterly board and committee retainers.
- (3) The Stock Units (cash payout) will be paid out the first business day of the calendar year following the last date of the Reporting Person's service as a director of the Company.

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