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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Lauder William P

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

ESTEE LAUDER COMPANIES

(Check all applicable)

Executive Chairman

INC [EL]

10/31/2018

(Last) (First) (Middle)

(Street)

(State)

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

_X__ Director X 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title _ Other (specify below)

COMPANIES INC., 767 FIFTH

(Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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10,468

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

NEW YORK, NY 10153

THE ESTEE LAUDER

AVENUE

(City)

Class A

Stock

Common

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1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)				cquired d of (D) 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Class A Common Stock	10/31/2018		M	9,743 (1)	A	\$ 0 (2)	17,604	D	
Class A Common Stock	10/31/2018		F(3)	5,186	D	\$ 140.8	12,418	D	

By

children of

William P.

Lauder

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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. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	tionot Sc) A (A D (I (I	f Desecur acqui A) or Dispo D)	ities ired sed of . 3, 4,	ve Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	V (4	A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units (Share Payout) (4)	\$ 0 (2)	10/31/2018		M			3,735 (5)	10/31/2018(5)	10/31/2018	Class A Common Stock	3,735
Restricted Stock Units (Share Payout) (4)	\$ 0 (2)	10/31/2018		M			3,229 (<u>6)</u>	10/31/2018(6)	10/31/2019	Class A Common Stock	3,229
Restricted Stock Units (Share Payout) (4)	\$ 0 (2)	10/31/2018		M			2,779 (7)	10/31/2018(7)	11/02/2020	Class A Common Stock	2,779

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Kelationships							
. 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Lauder William P								
THE ESTEE LAUDER COMPANIES INC.	X	X	Executive Chairman					
767 FIFTH AVENUE	Λ	Λ	Executive Chairman					
NEW YORK, NY 10153								

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Signatures

William P. Lauder, by Spencer G. Smul, attorney-in-fact

11/02/2018

**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) Payout of shares upon vesting of portions of Restricted Stock Units ("RSUs") granted September 4, 2015, September 6, 2016 and September 5, 2017.
- (2) Not applicable.
- (3) Represents the withholding of shares for tax purposes.
- RSUs vest and are paid out in shares of Class A Common Stock on a one-to-one basis on the applicable vesting date. RSUs generally vest
- (4) in three approximately equal installments. Upon payout, additional shares will be withheld to cover statutory tax obligations. RSUs are accompanied by dividend equivalent rights that will be payable in cash at the time of payout of the related shares.
- (5) RSUs from grant dated September 4, 2015.
- (6) RSUs from grant dated September 6, 2016. Assuming continued employment, RSUs will vest and be paid out as follows: 3,229 on October 31, 2019.
- (7) RSUs from grant dated September 5, 2017. Assuming continued employment, RSUs will vest and be paid out as follows: 2,779 on October 31, 2019; and 2,779 on November 2, 2020.

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