SHERWIN WILLIAMS CO

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Common

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1 Name and Address of Departing De

THAMAN MICHAEL H S			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
	SHERV	SHERWIN WILLIAMS CO [SHW]				(Check all applicable)					
(Last)	(First) (M		Issuer Issues Issuer Issuer					100/	Owner		
101 W. PRO	OSPECT AVENU	`	•				Officer (give		er (specify		
	(Street)	endment, Date Original				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check					
		Filed(Mo	Filed(Month/Day/Year)				Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person				
CLEVELA	ND, OH 44115						Form filed by M				
(City)	(State) (Zip) Tab	le I - Non-I	Derivative	Secui	rities Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	ly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transactio Code	on(A) or Di	ispose	d of (D)	Securities Beneficially	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	07/07/2017		A(1)	82	A	\$ 349.41	82 (2)	I	Deferred Plan		

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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Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address Director 10% Owner Officer Other THAMAN MICHAEL H 101 W. PROSPECT AVENUE X CLEVELAND, OH 44115

Signatures

Stephen J. Perisutti, 07/11/2017 Attorney-in-fact

**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).
- Shares were acquired in an exempt transaction in connection with the Director Deferred Fee Plan; reporting person has the right to direct **(1)** the vote for such shares.
- Shares listed are held pursuant to the Director Deferred Fee Plan, which includes shares acquired pursuant to the dividend reinvestment **(2)** feature of such plan.
- (3) Shares listed are restricted stock units.

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