

HERBERT MICHAEL J

Form 4

December 12, 2012

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 *
HERBERT MICHAEL J

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
SIMPSON MANUFACTURING CO
INC /CA/ [NYSE:SSD]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
5956 W. LAS POSITAS BLVD.
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
12/12/2012

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____X____ Officer (give title ____ Other (specify
below) below)
Vice President

PLEASANTON, CA 94588

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
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Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

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	12/12/2012		X		10,000	A	\$ 29.66
					15,784 ⁽¹⁾	D	
Common Stock	12/12/2012		X		10,000	D	\$ 32.7936
					5,784 ⁽¹⁾	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)
Options on Common Stock	\$ 40.72					01/26/2007 ⁽²⁾ 01/26/2013	Common Stock 4,000
Options on Common Stock	\$ 29.66	12/12/2012		X	10,000	02/03/2012 ⁽²⁾ 02/03/2018	Common Stock 10,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HERBERT MICHAEL J 5956 W. LAS POSITAS BLVD. PLEASANTON, CA 94588			Vice President	

Signatures

MICHAEL J.
HERBERT 12/12/2012

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).

Amount includes 2,384 shares of restricted stock units (RSUs) awarded on January 30, 2012. RSUs vest one fourth on each of the award

(1) date and the first, second and third anniversaries of the award date. The 2,384 shares are net of the number of shares expected to be withheld to cover the estimated income taxes due on vesting.

(2) This date represents the date of the first annual vesting period. This option vests equally over four years beginning with the date of grant.

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