HEXCEL CORP /DE/

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Hendricks Kimberly A. Issuer Symbol HEXCEL CORP /DE/ [HXL] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title C/O HEXCEL 01/24/2017 below) CORPORATION, 281 TRESSER VP, Corp. Controller & CAO BLVD., 16TH FLOOR (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

STAMFORD, CT 06901

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(City)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired							f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	3. Transactio	` ′	ispose	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, Amount	(A) or	Price	Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock (1)	01/24/2017		M	1,650	A	\$ 0	22,982	D	
Common Stock (2)	01/24/2017		F	782	D	\$ 50.99	22,200	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)

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed

Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	Securities	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		Underlying Securi (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am or Nu of Sha
Performance-Based Award	<u>(3)</u>	01/24/2017		M	1,650	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	1,

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Hendricks Kimberly A. C/O HEXCEL CORPORATION 281 TRESSER BLVD., 16TH FLOOR STAMFORD, CT 06901

VP, Corp. Controller & CAO

5. Number

6 Date Exercisable and 7 Title and Amou

Signatures

1 Title of Derivative

/s/Kimberly A. Hendricks by Adam P. Gold, Attorney-in-fact

01/26/2017

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- * 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).
 - The Common Stock was acquired upon the conversion of a performance-based award ("PBA") in accordance with the terms of an
- (1) underlying Performance Based Award Agreement (the "Agreement") dated January 28, 2014. The PBA was granted based on the level of attainment of specified financial performance criteria set forth in the Agreement, and was granted in a transaction exempt under Rule 16b.
- (2) The Common Stock was withheld as payment of tax withholding required upon conversion of the PBA.
- (3) The PBA was granted in a transaction exempt under Rule 16b. Upon vesting, the PBA converted into an equivalent number of shares of Common Stock that are distributed to the grantee.
- (4) The PBA vested and converted into an equivalent number of shares of Common Stock on January 24, 2017.

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