

Spectrum Brands Holdings, Inc.  
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# FORM 4

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
POLISTINA TERRY

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
Spectrum Brands Holdings, Inc.  
[SPB]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
10/14/2013

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

C/O SPECTRUM BRANDS HOLDINGS, INC., 601 RAYOVAC DRIVE

(Street)

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

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

Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

MADISON, WI 53711

(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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |   |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|--|---|
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | (A) or (D)  | Price   |  |  |   |
| Common Stock                    | 10/14/2013                           |  | M                              | 44,444  | A   | (\$1)  | 90,331 (2)                                 | D |
| Common Stock                    | 10/14/2013                           |  | F                              | 11,615 (3)  | D   | \$ 64.81 (4)   | 78,716                                     | D |
| Common Stock                    | 10/15/2013                           |  | F                              | 7,466 (3)   | D   | \$ 63.75 (5)   | 71,250                                     | 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) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|
| Performance Rights                         | (1)  | 10/14/2013                           |  | M                              | 44,444  | (1) 10/14/2013   | Common Stock 44,444   |
| Performance Rights (6)                     | (7) (8)  |                                      |  |                                |   | (7)(8) (7)(8)  | Common Stock 74,99  |
| Performance Rights (6)                     | (9)  |                                      |  |                                |   | (9) (9)  | Common Stock 25,00  |
| Performance Rights (6)                     | (10)   |                                      |  |                                |   | (10) 10/28/2013  | Common Stock 18,51  |
| Performance Rights (6)                     | (11)   |                                      |  |                                |   | (11) 10/21/2013  | Common Stock 14,81  |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Relationships |           |         |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| POLISTINA TERRY<br>C/O SPECTRUM BRANDS HOLDINGS, INC.<br>601 RAYOVAC DRIVE<br>MADISON, WI 53711 | X             |           |         |       |

## Signatures

/s/ Nathan E. Fagre,  
attorney-in-fact 10/16/2013

\*\*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) The remaining 44,444 performance rights granted on November 28, 2011 under the Issuer's 2012 Equity Incentive Plan vested and settled for shares of the Issuer's common stock on October 14, 2013.
- (2) Mr. Polistina was awarded 1,595 restricted stock units under the Spectrum Brands Holdings, Inc. 2011 Omnibus Equity Award Plan which are settled in shares of common stock of the Issuer, and which are scheduled to vest in full on September 30, 2014.
- (3) Represents shares of the Issuer's common stock sold pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by Mr. Polistina on September 17, 2013 to satisfy his tax withholding obligations upon the vesting of performance rights representing 44,444 shares.
- (4) Reflects the weighted average price of 11,615 shares of Common Stock of the Issuer sold by Mr. Polistina in multiple transactions on October 14, 2013 at prices ranging from \$64.40 to \$65.01 per share. Mr. Polistina undertakes to provide upon request by the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission staff, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in this footnote.
- (5) Reflects the weighted average price of 7,466 shares of Common Stock of the Issuer sold by Mr. Polistina in multiple transactions on October 15, 2013 at prices ranging from \$63.77 to \$64.65 per share. Mr. Polistina undertakes to provide upon request by the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission staff, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in this footnote.
- (6) Each performance right represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's common stock.
- (7) Up to 50% of such performance rights granted under the Spectrum Brands Holdings, Inc. 2013 Equity Incentive Plan will vest within 74 days of the Issuer meeting certain adjusted EBITDA and free cash flow performance targets for the year ended September 30, 2013 (the "Performance Vesting Date")("Performance Award"). In addition, an amount equal to the Performance Award will vest on the first anniversary of the Performance Vesting Date ("Service Award"). Mr. Polistina will also be eligible to receive up to 19,444 additional shares ("Additional Award") within 74 days of the Issuer meeting certain adjusted EBITDA and free cash flow performance targets for the year ended September 30, 2014. The Performance Award, the Service Award and the Additional Award together constitute the 2013 Award.
- (8) Amount reported represents the maximum number of shares issuable upon full vesting of the 2013 Award, which represents achievement of 135% of the performance targets. If 100% of the performance targets is achieved, 55,555 shares are issuable upon full vesting of the 2013 Award.
- (9) The performance rights will vest 100% within 74 days of the Issuer meeting certain adjusted EBITDA and free cash flow performance targets for the year ended September 30, 2013 in connection with the successful integration of the Hardware Home Improvement Group from Stanley Black & Decker, Inc.
- (10) 50% of the performance rights granted on November 15, 2010 under the Issuer's 2011 Two-Year Equity Award Plan vested on November 16, 2012 and such performance rights settled for 18,518 shares of the Issuer's common stock (the "Two-Year Award"). In addition, an amount equal to the Two-Year Award will vest on October 28, 2013.
- (11) 50% of the performance rights granted on November 28, 2011 under the Issuer's 2012 Equity Incentive Plan for exceeding performance targets vested on November 16, 2012 and such performance rights settled for 14,815 shares of the Issuer's common stock. An additional 14,815 performance rights will vest and settle for shares of the Issuer's common stock on October 21, 2013.

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