BALLANTYNE STRONG, INC.

Form 4

March 10, 2017

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Fundamental Global Investors, LLC 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Issuer

below)

Symbol

BALLANTYNE STRONG, INC.

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

[BTN]

(Middle) (Last) (First)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

_X__ Director X__ 10% Owner _ Other (specify Officer (give title

(Month/Day/Year)

03/09/2017

4201 CONGRESS STREET, SUITE

(Street)

140,

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Person

CHARLOTTE, NC 28209

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tak	ole I - Non-	-Derivative	Secur	ities Ac	quired, Disposed	l of, or Benefi	icially Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securitie on(A) or Disp (Instr. 3, 4)	posed	of (D)	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)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share							745,561 (1) (2)	I	Fundamental Global Partners, LP
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	03/09/2017		J <u>(3)</u>	779,409	D	(3)	698,428	I	Fundamental Global Partners Master Fund, LP
	03/09/2017		J(3)	779,409	A	<u>(3)</u>	779,409	I	

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Common		Fundamental
Stock, par		Global
value		Holdings, LP
\$0.01 per		
share		
Common		FGI Global
Stock, par		Asset
value	65,739 (1) (2) I	Allocation
\$0.01 per		Master Fund,
share		LP
Common		FOLCI I I
Stock, par		FGI Global
value	34,911 (1) (2) I	Asset
\$0.01 per	,	Allocation
share		Fund, Ltd.
Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially	y 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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exer	cisable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transac	tionNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8) Derivativ	re		Securi	ities	(Instr. 5)
	Derivative				Securities	S		(Instr.	3 and 4)	
	Security				Acquired					
					(A) or					
					Disposed					
					of (D)					
					(Instr. 3,					
					4, and 5)					
									Amount	
						Date	Expiration	m: d	or	
						Exercisable	Date	Title	Number	
				~					of	
				Code \	V (A) (D)				Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
Fg	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Fundamental Global Investors, LLC 4201 CONGRESS STREET, SUITE 140 CHARLOTTE, NC 28209	X	X				

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Cerminara Kyle C/O FUNDAMENTAL GLOBAL INVESTORS, LLC 4201 CONGRESS STREET, SUITE 140 CHARLOTTE, NC 28209	X	X	Executive Chairman and CEO
Johnson Lewis M C/O FUNDAMENTAL GLOBAL INVESTORS, LLC 4201 CONGRESS STREET, SUITE 140 CHARLOTTE, NC 28209	X	X	
MOGLIA JOSEPH H C/O FUNDAMENTAL GLOBAL INVESTORS, LLC 4201 CONGRESS STREET, SUITE 140 CHARLOTTE, NC 28209	X		

Signatures

FUNDAMENTAL GLOBAL INVESTORS, LLC /s/ D. Kyle Cerminara, Chief Executive Officer, Partner and Manager			
, and the second se	**Signature of Reporting Person	Date	
/s/ D. Kyle Cerminara		03/10/2017	
	**Signature of Reporting Person	Date	
/s/ Lewis M. Johnson		03/10/2017	
	**Signature of Reporting Person	Date	
/s/ Joseph H. Moglia		03/10/2017	
	**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 Reporting Persons beneficially own in the aggregate 2,324,048 shares of Common Stock, which represents approximately 16.3% of the Company's outstanding shares of Common Stock. Fundamental Global Investors, LLC may be deemed to be a beneficial owner of the shares of Common Stock that are directly owned by Fundamental Global Partners, LP ("FGPP"), Fundamental Global Partners Master
- (1) Fund, LP ("FGPM"), Fundamental Global Holdings, LP ("FGHP"), FGI Global Asset Allocation Fund, Ltd. ("FGAA") and FGI Global Asset Allocation Master Fund, LP ("FGGM"). In addition, CWA Asset Management Group, LLC, of which 50% is owned by Fundamental Global Investors, LLC, holds 439,519 shares of Common Stock for the accounts of individual investors, which represents approximately 3.1% of the Company's outstanding shares of Common Stock.
- Due to their positions with Fundamental Global Investors, LLC and affiliated entities, Messrs. D. Kyle Cerminara, Lewis M. Johnson and (2) Joseph H. Moglia may be deemed to be beneficial owners of the shares of Common Stock disclosed as directly owned by FGPP, FGPM, FGHP, FGAA and FGGM.
- (3) Withdrawal and redemption from FGPM and contribution to FGHP.

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