

MASONITE INTERNATIONAL CORP
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Â Hair James A (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O MASONITE INTERNATIONAL CORPORATION,Â 201 N. FRANKLIN ST, SUITE 300 (Street) TAMPA,Â FLÂ 33602 (City) (State) (Zip) | 2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 02/29/2016 | 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MASONITE INTERNATIONAL CORP [DOOR] | 4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other (give title below) (specify below) See Remarks | 5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person |
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 4) | 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4) | 3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) | 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) |
|------------------------------------|--|---|--|
| Common Shares | 10,092 ⁽¹⁾ | D | Â |

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4) | 2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security | 4. Conversion or Exercise | 5. Ownership Form of | 6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership |
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| | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | (Instr. 4) Title | Amount or Number of Shares | Price of Derivative Security | Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) | (Instr. 5) |
|--------------------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------|----------------------------|------------------------------|--|------------|
| Stock Appreciation Right | 10/28/2023 | 10/28/2023 | Common Shares | 8,716 | \$ 48.88 | D | (2) |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|-------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Hair James A C/O MASONITE INTERNATIONAL CORPORATION 201 N. FRANKLIN ST, SUITE 300 TAMPA, FL 33602 | | | See Remarks | |

Signatures

/s/ Robert E. Lewis, as attorney-in-fact 02/29/2016

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) Includes common shares from vested Restricted Stock Units and common shares issuable upon settlement of Restricted Stock Units granted under the Masonite International Corporation 2012 Equity Incentive Plan and subject to future vesting.
- (2) This Stock Appreciation Right vested 50% on April 28, 2014, 25% on October 28, 2014 and the remaining 25% will vest on October 28, 2016

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Remarks:

Vice President, Business Leader - Residential
Exhibit List Exhibit 24 - Power of Attorney

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