

MERCER INTERNATIONAL INC.
 Form EFFECT
 September 26, 2016

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 (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)CodeVAmount(A) or (D)Price Common Stock02/28/2012 P 1,000 A \$ 32.2799 1,000 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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
Director Stock Options	(1)			Code V (A) (D)		Date Exercisable (2) Expiration Date (3)	Common Stock	Amount or Number of Shares 12,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
FERAGEN JODY H 1 HORMEL PLACE AUSTIN, MN 55912	X			

Signatures

Matthew L. Levitt, by Power of
Attorney

02/28/2012

__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).
- (1) Options granted as follows: 12,000 on 9/13/2011 at \$27.36.
 - (2) Options exercisable as follows: 4,000 on September 13 of each year 2012 through 2014.
 - (3) All options expire 10 years after grant date.

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