

CRANE CO /DE/
Form 4
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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Lavish James A.

(Last) (First) (Middle)

100 FIRST STAMFORD PLACE

(Street)

STAMFORD, CT 06902-6784

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

CRANE CO /DE/ [CR]

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

02/23/2017

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

VP, CBS, People & Performance

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

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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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
CRANE CO. COMMON, PAR VALUE \$1.00	02/23/2017		M	2,662	A \$ 58.47	13,887	D
CRANE CO. COMMON, PAR VALUE \$1.00	02/23/2017		S	2,662 (1)	D \$ 72.5213 (2)	11,225	D

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CRANE CO. COMMON, PAR VALUE \$1.00	02/23/2017	M	5,368	A	\$ 43.57	16,593	D
CRANE CO. COMMON, PAR VALUE \$1.00	02/23/2017	S	<u>5,368</u> (3)	D	\$ 72.5213 (2)	11,225	D
CRANE CO. COMMON, PAR VALUE \$1.00	02/23/2017	M	2,088	A	\$ 64.78	13,313	D
CRANE CO. COMMON, PAR VALUE \$1.00	02/23/2017	S	<u>2,088</u> (4)	D	\$ 72.5213 (2)	11,225	D
CRANE CO. COMMON, PAR VALUE \$1.00	02/23/2017	M	1,300	A	\$ 48.59	12,525	D
CRANE CO. COMMON, PAR VALUE \$1.00	02/23/2017	S	150 <u>(5)</u>	D	\$ 72.5213 (2)	12,375	D
CRANE CO. COMMON, PAR VALUE \$1.00	02/23/2017	S	1,174	D	\$ 74.4	11,201	D

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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)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 58.47	02/23/2017		M		2,662		<u>(6)</u>	01/26/2025	CRANE CO. COMMON, PAR VALUE \$1.00	2,662
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 43.57	02/23/2017		M		5,368		<u>(7)</u>	01/25/2026	CRANE CO. COMMON, PAR VALUE \$1.00	5,368
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 64.78	02/23/2017		M		2,088		<u>(8)</u>	01/27/2024	CRANE CO. COMMON, PAR VALUE \$1.00	2,088
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 48.59	02/23/2017		M		1,300		<u>(9)</u>	01/28/2019	CRANE CO. COMMON, PAR VALUE \$1.00	1,300

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
	VP, CBS, People & Performance

Lavish James A.
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STAMFORD, CT 06902-6784

Signatures

Attorney In Fact,
Christopher Dee

02/27/2017

__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) Concurrent sale of shares resulting from an exercise of options granted on 1/26/2015 and expiring on 1/26/2025.
Weighted average price at which shares were sold in multiple same-day transactions at prices ranging from \$72.14 to \$74.40. The
- (2) reporting person undertakes to provide, upon request of the Commission staff, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (3) Concurrent sale of shares resulting from an exercise of options granted on 1/25/2016 and expiring on 1/25/2026.
- (4) Concurrent sale of shares resulting from an exercise of options granted on 1/27/2014 and expiring on 1/27/2024.
- (5) Concurrent sale of shares resulting from an exercise of options granted on 1/28/2013 and expiring on 1/28/2019.
- (6) The remaining 25% will vest on the fourth anniversary of the grant date (1/26/2015).
- (7) This option vested 25% on the first anniversary of the grant date (1/26/2015). The remaining 75% will vest on the second, third and fourth anniversary of the grant date.
- (8) This option vested 25% on the first, 50% on the second and 75% on the third anniversary of the grant date (01/27/2014). The remaining 25% will vest on the fourth anniversary of the grant date.
- (9) This option vested 25% on the first, 50% on the second, 75% on the third and 100% on the fourth anniversary of the grant date (1/28/2019).

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