

NEWPORT CORP
Form 4
May 21, 2015

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 *
PHILLIPPY ROBERT J

(Last) (First) (Middle)

1791 DEERE AVENUE

(Street)

IRVINE, CA 92606

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
NEWPORT CORP [NEWP]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
05/19/2015

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

President & CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

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)
Common Stock	05/19/2015		A	Amount 44,880 (1)	A \$ 0 293,247	D	
Common Stock					51,714	I	Held in family trust (2)

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 Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares of Underlying Security
Stock Appreciation Right (Stock-Settled)	\$ 19.11	05/19/2015		A	44,880	(3) 05/19/2022	Common Stock	44,880

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
PHILLIPPY ROBERT J 1791 DEERE AVENUE IRVINE, CA 92606	X		President & CEO	

Signatures

/s/ Jeffrey B. Coyne, SVP & General Counsel, as attorney-in-fact for reporting person 05/21/2015

__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).

- Consists of restricted stock units representing the right to receive upon vesting a total of 44,880 shares of the issuer's common stock. Such
- (1) restricted stock units vest in equal one-third installments on March 31, 2016, March 31, 2017 and March 31, 2018, subject to the achievement by the issuer of a specified financial performance goal for 2015.
 - (2) Shares are held by reporting person and his spouse as trustees of a family trust.
 - (3) Stock appreciation right vests in equal one-third installments on March 31, 2016, March 31, 2017 and March 31, 2018.

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