

MARTEN TRANSPORT LTD

Form 4

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FORM 4
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
KOHL TIMOTHY M

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol
MARTEN TRANSPORT LTD
[MRTN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

129 MARTEN STREET

(Street)

MONDOVI, WI 54755

(City) (State) (Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 03/14/2017

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

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

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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	03/14/2017		A	205 ⁽¹⁾ A \$ 0	89,449.91 ⁽²⁾ 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)

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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)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repor Trans (Instr
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
KOHL TIMOTHY M 129 MARTEN STREET MONDOVI, WI 54755	President

Signatures

/s/ James J. Hinnendael,
attorney-in-fact

03/16/2017

__Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) Of these shares and shares previously reported that vest based on service, 1,382 shares have been deferred under the Issuer's deferred compensation plan.

Includes: (i) 1,660 shares granted under a Performance Unit Award Agreement that vest on 12/31/2017 through 12/31/2020; (ii) 1,260 shares granted under a Performance Unit Award Agreement that vest on 12/31/2017 through 12/31/2019; (iii) 870 shares granted under a

(2) Performance Unit Award Agreement that vest on 12/31/2017 through 12/31/2018, (iv) 652 shares granted under a Performance Unit Award Agreement that vest on 12/31/2017 and (v) 22,852.91 shares that the reporting person has deferred under the Issuer's deferred compensation plan.

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