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OMB APPROVAL FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OMB 3235-0287 Washington, D.C. 20549 Number: Check this box January 31, Expires: if no longer 2005 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF subject to Estimated average **SECURITIES** Section 16. burden hours per Form 4 or response... 0.5 Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction 1(b). (Print or Type Responses) 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading STEPAN F QUINN JR Issuer Symbol STEPAN CO [SCL] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) _X__ Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify 22 W. FRONTAGE ROAD 02/09/2010 below) President & CEO (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person 02/11/2010 Form filed by More than One Reporting NORTHFIELD, IL 60093 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Indirect (I) Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common 5,858 02/09/2010(1) A A \$0 54,651.0816 D (1) Stock Common 7,081 I By Spouse Stock By Self as Common Custodian I 36,447 Stock for Children Common

50,880

21,312

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Common Stock			By Family Trust (3)
Common Stock	30,257	I	By Family LLC (3)
Common Stock	15,792	I	By Children

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount Underlying Securiti (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amor or Numl of Sh
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 51.21	02/09/2010		A	27,174	02/09/2012	02/08/2018	Common Stock	27,1
Performance Shares	<u>(4)</u>	02/09/2010		A	5,858	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	5,8.

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	S	Relationships				
reporting owner runner runners	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
STEPAN F QUINN JR 22 W. FRONTAGE ROAD NORTHFIELD, IL 60093	X		President & CEO			
Signatures						
F. Quinn Stepan,	02/11/2015					

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Date **Signature of Reporting Person

Jr.

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- * 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).

This award of restricted stock was incorrectly reported in 2010 on Table II of the original Form 4. This amendment is being filed solely to correctly report the award on Table I. These restricted shares were also omitted from the totals in Column 5 of Table I on Forms filed by the Reporting Person subsequent to February 11, 2010. The number of shares reported as being granted for this award does not reflect the

- (1) additional 5,858 shares that resulted from the November 30, 2012 two-for-one stock split, which additional shares were also omitted from the totals in Column 5 of Table I on Forms filed by the Reporting Person subsequent to November 30, 2012 (reflecting the stock split, the number of shares subject to this award and reported as acquired on February 9, 2010 would be 11,716). The number of shares reflected in Column 5 of Table I of this amendment is the total number of shares held as of the original filing date (and does not reflect the November 30, 2012 stock split).
- (2) Joint Tenancy with Spouse.
- (3) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of such securities for the purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- (4) Each performance share represents a contingent right to receive 1 share of Stepan Company Common Stock. The performance shares vest upon Stepan Company achieving certain financial targets by December 31, 2012.

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