

ESCALADE INC
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Williams Edward E

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
ESCALADE INC [ESCA]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
PO BOX 50

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
12/26/2014

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

CRYSTAL CITY, MO 63019

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

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

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 Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code	V	Amount or Price				
Common Stock	12/26/2014		M		17,452 ⁽¹⁾	A	<u>11</u> 105,830	D	
Common Stock					14,999 ⁽²⁾	I		D	PAW Family Partnership LP
Common Stock					37,039 ⁽³⁾	I		D	Good Earth Tools, Inc.
Common Stock					337,302 ⁽⁴⁾	I		D	KPW Family Limited Partnership

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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)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	(5)	12/26/2014		M	17,452 (6)	12/26/2014	12/26/2014	Common Stock	17,452

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Williams Edward E PO BOX 50 CRYSTAL CITY, MO 63019	X			

Signatures

/s/Edward Williams 12/29/2014

**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) Shares issued are in settlement of restricted stock units that vested on 12/26/14. The closing price of a share of ESCA common stock on 12/26/14 was \$14.47.
- (2) Mr. Edward Williams is a general partner of PAW Family Partnership LP.
- (3) Mr. Edward Williams owns 33% of the outstanding shares of Good Earth Tools, Inc. and is an executive officer of the same.
- (4) Mr. Edward Williams is a general partner of KPW Family Limited Partnership.
- (5) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of ESCA common stock granted pursuant to the Escalade, Incorporated 2007 Incentive Plan.

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(6) Restricted stock units that vested on 12/26/14 were settled by the issuance of common stock on that date.

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