

FLORNESS DANIEL L
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
FLORNESS DANIEL L

(Last) (First) (Middle)
2001 THEURER BOULEVARD
(Street)

WINONA, MN 55987

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
FASTENAL CO [FAST]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
04/22/2019

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)
CEO and 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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | | |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|----------------------|---|---------------------|
| | | | Code | V | Amount | (D) | Price | | | |
| Common Stock | 04/22/2019 | | M | | 10,000 | A | \$ 54 | 109,845 | D | |
| Common Stock | 04/22/2019 | | S | | 10,000 | D | \$ 69.9903 | 99,845 | D | |
| Common Stock | 04/24/2019 | | M | | 10,000 | A | \$ 54 | 109,845 | D | |
| Common Stock | 04/24/2019 | | S | | 10,000 | D | \$ 71.5149 | 99,845 | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | 4,500 ⁽²⁾ | I | Held in 401(K) Plan |

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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 |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 54 | 04/22/2019 | | M | 10,000 | <u>(1)</u> 05/31/2021 | Common Stock 10,000 |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 54 | 04/24/2019 | | M | 10,000 | <u>(1)</u> 05/31/2021 | Common Stock 10,000 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|-------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| FLORNESS DANIEL L 2001 THEURER BOULEVARD WINONA, MN 55987 | X | | CEO and President | |

Signatures

/s/ John Milek,
Attorney-in-Fact

04/24/2019

__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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- The option will vest and become exercisable over a period of eight years, with 50% of the option vesting and becoming exercisable half
- (1) way through the relevant vesting period, and the remainder vesting and becoming exercisable proportionately on each anniversary of the date of grant.
 - (2) Shares attributed to reporting person's account within issuer's 401(K) Plan as of April 23, 2019 and includes 181 additional shares acquired since the reporting person's previous holdings report filed on October 15, 2018.

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