

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934
 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>NELSON RONALD L</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>1000 EAST HANES MILL ROAD</u> (Street) <u>WINSTON- SALEM NC 27105</u> (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>Hanesbrands Inc. [HBI]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>12/09/2015</u>	
4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		

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	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	12/09/2015		D		4,564	D	(1)	104,200	D	

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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date					
Phantom Stock ⁽²⁾	(3)	12/09/2015		A	4,564	(4)	(4)	Common Stock	4,564	(1)	125,054 ⁽⁵⁾	D

Explanation of Responses:

- Represents a deferral by the Reporting Person of 4,564 shares of Hanesbrands Inc. common stock upon the vesting of restricted stock units granted to the Reporting Person on December 9, 2014. The amount deferred was deemed to be invested in a stock equivalent account (the "HBI Stock Fund") in the Hanesbrands Inc. Non-Employee Director Deferred Compensation Plan (the "Plan").
- Represents an HBI Stock Fund balance under the Plan. Balances in the HBI Stock Fund may not be reallocated and are settled on a share-for-share basis in shares of Hanesbrands Inc. common stock.
- 1-for-1
- Balances in the HBI Stock Fund are settled on a share-for-share basis in shares of Hanesbrands Inc. common stock (i) with respect to deferrals prior to January 1, 2008, at the time specified by the Reporting Person at the time of the Reporting Person's deferral election, which in no case shall be prior to the January 1 following the first anniversary of the date the deferral election is made and (ii) with respect to deferrals on or after January 1, 2008, on the earlier of the fifth anniversary of the date of the deferral or the Reporting Person's separation from service as a member of the Hanesbrands Inc. board of directors.
- Includes acquisitions of 92,975, 367,180, 402,085 and 388,054 phantom stock units acquired through deemed dividend reinvestment on March 3, 2015, June 11, 2015, September 9, 2015 and December 8, 2015, respectively, and 89,500.089 phantom stock units acquired as a result of Hanesbrands' 4-for-1 stock split on March 3, 2015.

Remarks:

Joia M. Johnson, attorney-in-fact 12/11/2015

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

* 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).

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