

PATTERSON COMPANIES, 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 *
WILTZ JAMES W

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
PATTERSON COMPANIES, INC. [PDCO]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
129 VIRGINIA STREET
 (Street)
ST. PAUL, MN 55102
 (City) (State) (Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
09/10/2012

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

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

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)
				(A) or (D) Code V Amount Price			
Common Stock	09/10/2012		A ⁽¹⁾	2,925 A \$ 0	29,927	D	
Common Stock					70,165	I	Revocable Trust ⁽²⁾
Common Stock					9,550	I	Family Trust ⁽³⁾
Common Stock					21,686	I	GRAT ⁽⁴⁾

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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 5)
					Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
				Code	V (A) (D)				

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
WILTZ JAMES W 129 VIRGINIA STREET ST. PAUL, MN 55102	X			

Signatures

Matthew L. Levitt, by Power of Attorney 09/12/2012

**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 of Restricted Stock awarded to Non-Employee Directors as an Annual Grant pursuant to the Patterson Companies, Inc. Equity Incentive Plan
- (2) Revocable Trust of which the Reporting Person is the Settlor and Trustee
- (3) In Trust for members of Reporting Person's Family.
- (4) Held by Grantor Retained Annuity Trust. Since the Reporting Person's last report, 21,686 shares were transferred from the Revocable Trust to the GRAT

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