

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Edwards Richard J</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) 102 WILLENBROCK ROAD ONE TRIBOLOGY CENTER (Street) OXFORD CT 06478 (City) (State) (Zip) | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>RBC Bearings INC [ROLL]</u> | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <u>V.P. and General Manager</u> |
| | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/27/2019 | |
| | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person |

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 | 06/27/2019 | | F | | 209 ⁽¹⁾ | D | \$160.79 | 12,806 ⁽²⁾ | 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) |
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| | | | | Code | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | | | | | |
| Option to Purchase Common Stock | \$64.15 | | | | | | | 07/01/2019 ⁽³⁾ | 07/01/2021 | Common Stock | 4,000 | 4,000 | D | |
| Option to Purchase Common Stock | \$72.83 | | | | | | | 07/01/2019 ⁽⁴⁾ | 07/01/2022 | Common Stock | 8,000 | 8,000 | D | |
| Option to Purchase Common Stock | \$72.94 | | | | | | | 07/08/2019 ⁽⁵⁾ | 07/08/2023 | Common Stock | 6,000 | 6,000 | D | |
| Option to Purchase Common Stock | \$99.64 | | | | | | | 06/27/2019 ⁽⁶⁾ | 06/27/2024 | Common Stock | 16,000 | 16,000 | D | |
| Option to Purchase Common Stock | \$132.12 | | | | | | | 06/07/2019 ⁽⁷⁾ | 06/07/2025 | Common Stock | 10,000 | 10,000 | D | |
| Option to Purchase Common Stock | \$143.92 | | | | | | | 06/03/2020 ⁽⁸⁾ | 06/03/2026 | Common Stock | 10,000 | 10,000 | D | |

Explanation of Responses:

- Represents shares withheld by the Company to pay tax liability related to the vesting of restricted stock
- Includes 5,400 shares of restricted stock, which vest according to the following schedule; 333 shares vest on 7/8/2019; 667 shares vest on 6/27/2020; 2,400 shares 1/4 of which vest on 6/7/2020, 1/4 vest on 6/7/2021, 1/4 vest on 6/7/2022 and 1/4 vest on 6/7/2023; and 2,000 shares 1/5 of which vest on 6/3/2020, 1/5 vest on 6/3/2021, 1/5 vest on 6/3/2022, 1/5 vest on 6/3/2023 and 1/5 vest on 6/3/2024.
- All these options to purchase Common Stock vest on 7/1/2019.
- All these options to purchase Common Stock are subject to the following vesting schedule - 1/2 vest on 7/1/2019 and 1/2 vest on 7/1/2020.
- All these options to purchase Common Stock are subject to the following vesting schedule - 1/3 vest on 7/8/2019, 1/3 vest on 7/8/2020 and 1/3 vest on 7/8/2021.
- All these options to purchase Common Stock are exercisable except for 12,000 options that are subject to the following vesting schedule - 1/3 vest on 6/27/2020, 1/3 vest on 6/27/2021 and 1/3 vest on 6/27/2022.
- All these options to purchase Common Stock are exercisable except for 8,000 options that are subject to the following vesting schedule - 1/4 vest on 6/7/2020, 1/4 vest on 6/7/2021, 1/4 vest on 6/7/2022 and 1/4 vest on 6/7/2023.
- Options to purchase shares of Common Stock are subject to the following vesting schedule - 1/5 vest on 6/3/2020, 1/5 vest on 6/3/2021, 1/5 vest on 6/3/2022, 1/5 vest on 6/3/2023 and 1/5 vest on 6/3/2024.

Remarks:

/s/Joseph

06/28/2019

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).

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