STANLEY BLACK & DECKER, INC.

Form 4

September 16, 2016

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Hankin Michael David

(First)

(Street)

Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

STANLEY BLACK & DECKER,

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

INC. [SWK]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

09/15/2016

(Check all applicable) X_ Director 10% Owner

Other (specify Officer (give title below)

1000 STANLEY DRIVE

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Person

NEW BRITAIN, CT 06053

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Middle)

3. Code (Month/Day/Year)

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 5. Number of 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amount of TransactionDerivative Derivative (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if **Expiration Date Underlying Securities** Conversion Code Securities (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3 and 4) Security or Exercise any

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(Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or (Instr. 3) Price of Derivative Disposed of (D) Security (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) Code V (A) (D) Date **Expiration Title** Amount or Exercisable Date Number of Shares Deferred Common (2) (3) 258.7777 (1) 09/15/2016 09/15/2016 258,7777 Shares Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Hankin Michael David
1000 STANLEY DRIVE X

NEW BRITAIN, CT 06053

Signatures

/s/ Kathryn P. Sherer as attorney-in-fact for Michael D.
Hankin

09/16/2016

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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) With dividend equivalent rights
- (2) Currently 100% vested
- (3) The reporting director will receive common stock of the corporation on the first business day of the calendar year immediately following the year in which he or she ceases to be a director

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- (1) Represents shares sold pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 sales plan.
 - Represents restricted stock units granted to Steven S. Sintros on December 14, 2017 under the UniFirst Corporation Amended and
- (2) Restated 2010 Stock Option and Incentive Plan. Such restricted stock units vest 20% per year on each anniversary of the grant date with the first vesting occurring on the first anniversary of the grant date.

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