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(Print or Type I	Responses)									
1. Name and A POSTE GE		2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol MONSANTO CO /NEW/ [MON]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
(Last)	(First) (			of Earliest T			(Che	eck all applicabl	e)	
800 N. LIN	DBERGH BLVI		(Month/) 06/07/2	Day/Year) 2018			X Director Officer (give below)		% Owner her (specify	
ST. LOUIS	(Street)			endment, D onth/Day/Yea	-	1		-	erson	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	T - L	1. T. N		G	Person	. (°	<b>II</b> 0 <b>I</b>	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date		d Date, if	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit	ies (A) or of (D)	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	
Reminder: Rep	port on a separate line	e for each cla	uss of sec	urities bene	Perso inforr requi	ns who re nation con red to resp ays a curre	or indirectly. spond to the colle tained in this forn ond unless the fo ntly valid OMB co	n are not rm	SEC 1474 (9-02)	

## Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number of	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and Amount of	8.1
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	orDerivative	Expiration Date	Underlying Securities	De
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)	Sec
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A)			(In

	Derivative Security				(D)	isposed of r. 3, 4, 5)				
			Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Deferred Payment Plan Restricted Stock Unit	<u>(1)</u> (2)	06/07/2018	D			39,860	(1)(2)	(1)(2)	Common Stock	39,860

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address				
reporting officer (and ) reaction	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
POSTE GEORGE 800 N. LINDBERGH BLVD. ST. LOUIS, MO 63167	Х			
Signatures				
Jennifer Woods, Attorney-in-Fact	0	6/07/2018		

Date

<u>\*\*</u>Signature of Reporting Person

## **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).

Pursuant to the terms of and subject to certain exceptions set forth in the Agreement and Plan of Merger, dated as of September 14, 2016 (the "Merger Agreement"), by and among Bayer Aktiengesellschaft ("Bayer"), KWA Investment Co. ("Merger Sub") and Monsanto

(1) Company (the "Company"), each share of common stock of the Company and each time- or performance-vesting restricted stock unit of the Company outstanding immediately prior to the effective time of the merger (the "Effective Time") was automatically converted into the right to receive \$128.00 in cash, without interest (the "Merger Consideration").

(Continued from Footnote 1) The Merger Consideration that is payable in respect of restricted stock units of the Company that were granted (a) prior to September 14, 2016 is fully vested as of the Effective Time or (b) after September 14, 2016 will vest based upon the

(2) vesting schedule applicable to the corresponding restricted stock units (subject to accelerated vesting in full upon a termination of employment without cause, for good reason or due to death, disability or retirement). Any Merger Consideration that is not paid at the Effective Time will begin accruing interest as of the Effective Time at the short-term federal rate.

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