

FOREST CITY ENTERPRISES INC
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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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 *
 Passen Andrew J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 FOREST CITY ENTERPRISES INC
 [FCEA/FCEB]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 50 PUBLIC SQUARE, SUITE 1100
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 12/17/2015

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 Exec VP - Human Resources

CLEVELAND, OH 44113

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(City) (State) (Zip)

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)	Amount (D) Price		
Class A Common Stock					3,960	D	(1)
Class A Common Stock					4,974	D	(2)
Class A Common Stock					6,232	D	(3)
Class A Common					4,741	D	(4)

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Stock

Class A					\$		
Common	12/17/2015		S	5,366	D	21.76	29,932 D ⁽⁵⁾
Stock						<u>(5)</u>	

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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
						Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title
				Code	V (A) (D)		Am or Nur of S
2006 Stock Option Grant (right to buy)	\$ 46.37					04/04/2008 ⁽⁶⁾ 04/04/2016	Class A Common 17
2007 Stock Option Grant (right to buy)	\$ 65.35					03/29/2009 ⁽⁷⁾ 03/29/2017	Class A Common 17
2008 Stock Option Grant (right to buy)	\$ 36.38					06/18/2010 ⁽⁸⁾ 06/18/2018	Class A Common 8,
2009 Stock Option Grant (right to buy)	\$ 7.8					04/21/2011 ⁽⁹⁾ 04/21/2019	Class A Common 4,
2010 Stock Option Grant (right to buy)	\$ 15.89					04/14/2012 ⁽¹⁰⁾ 04/14/2020	Class A Common 7,
2011 Stock Option Grant (right to buy)	\$ 17.72					04/13/2013 ⁽¹¹⁾ 04/13/2021	Class A Common 9,
	\$ 0					12/31/2015 08/08/1988 ⁽¹²⁾	7,

2012 Performance Shares					Class A Common	
2013 Performance Shares	\$ 0		12/31/2016	08/08/1988 ⁽¹³⁾	Class A Common	6,
2014 Performance Shares	\$ 0		12/31/2017	08/08/1988 ⁽¹⁴⁾	Class A Common	6,
2015 Performance Shares	\$ 0		12/31/2017	08/08/1988 ⁽¹⁵⁾	Class A Common	4,

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Passen Andrew J 50 PUBLIC SQUARE, SUITE 1100 CLEVELAND, OH 44113			Exec VP - Human Resources	

Signatures

Geralyn M. Presti, Attorney-In-Fact for Andrew J. Passen
12/23/2015

**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) 2012 Restricted Stock Grant - 25% vest on 4/11/2014; 25% vest on 4/11/2015; and 50% vest on 4/11/2016.
 - (2) 2013 Restricted Stock Grant - 25% vest on 4/08/2015; 25% vest on 4/08/2016; and 50% vest on 4/08/2017.
 - (3) 2014 Restricted Stock Grant - 0% vest on 3/28/2015; 25% vest on 3/28/2016; 25% vest on 3/28/2017; and 50% vest on 3/28/2018.
 - (4) 2015 Restricted Stock Grant - 25% vest on 3/26/2016; 25% vest on 3/26/2017; and 50% vest on 3/26/2018.
- Shares are held in street account with Securities America. The price \$21.76 represents a weighed average of sales prices ranging from \$21.74 per share to \$21.77 per share. Full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price will be provided to the SEC, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer upon request.
- (5) 2006 Stock Option Grant - 25% exercisable 4/04/2008; 25% exercisable 4/04/2009; and 50% exercisable 4/04/2010.
 - (6) 2007 Stock Option Grant - 25% exercisable 3/29/2009; 25% exercisable 3/29/2010; and 50% exercisable 3/29/2011.
 - (7) 2008 Stock Option Grant - 25% exercisable 6/18/2010; 25% exercisable 6/18/2011; and 50% exercisable 6/18/2012.
 - (8) 2009 Stock Option Grant - 25% exercisable 4/21/2011; 25% exercisable 4/21/2012; and 50% exercisable 4/21/2013.
 - (9) 2010 Stock Option Grant - 25% exercisable 4/14/2012; 25% exercisable 4/14/2013; and 50% exercisable 4/14/2014.
 - (10) 2011 Stock Option Grant - 25% exercisable 4/13/2013; 25% exercisable 4/13/2014; and 50% exercisable 4/13/2015.
 - (11) Performance Shares Award - granted 4/11/2012 - performance period is from February 1, 2012 to December 31, 2015. Awards will be available to the grantee at the end of the performance period provided that certain performance criteria are met. The actual number of

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shares earned could range from 0 to 200% of the number of Performance Shares granted. Fair market value on date of grant is \$14.74 per share. There is no fixed expiration date.

- (13) Performance Shares Award - granted 4/08/2013 - performance period is from February 1, 2013 to December 31, 2016. Awards will be available to the grantee at the end of the performance period provided that certain performance criteria are met. The actual number of shares earned could range from 0 to 200% of the number of Performance Shares granted. Fair market value on date of grant is \$17.60 per share. There is no fixed expiration date.

- (14) Performance Shares Award - granted 3/28/2014 - performance period is from January 1, 2014 to December 31, 2017. Awards will be available to the grantee at the end of the performance period provided that certain performance criteria are met. The actual number of shares earned could range from 0 to 200% of the number of Performance Shares granted. Fair market value on date of grant is \$18.73 per share. There is no fixed expiration date.

- (15) Performance Shares Award - granted 3/26/2015 - performance period is from January 1, 2015 to December 31, 2017. Awards will be available to the grantee at the end of the performance period provided that certain performance criteria are met. The actual number of shares earned could range from 0 to 200% of the number of Performance Shares granted. Fair market value on date of grant is \$24.62 per share. There is no fixed expiration date.

Remarks:

Andrew Passen will be retiring from the Company effective 12/31/2015 and will no longer be subject to Section 16 filing requirements.

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