

Platform Specialty Products Corp  
 Form 3  
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**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *<br>Â SACHDEV RAKESH<br>(Last) (First) (Middle) | 2. Date of Event Requiring Statement<br>(Month/Day/Year)<br>01/05/2016 | 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol<br>Platform Specialty Products Corp [PAH] | 4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer<br><br>(Check all applicable)<br><br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other<br>(give title below) (specify below)<br>Chief Executive Officer | 5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) |
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C/O PLATFORM SPECIALTY PRODUCTS CORP., Â 1450 CENTREPARK BLVD, SUITE 210  
 (Street)

WEST PALM BEACH, Â FL Â 33401  
 (City) (State) (Zip)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

|                                    |  |   |  |
|------------------------------------|--|---|--|
| 1. Title of Security<br>(Instr. 4) | 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned<br>(Instr. 4) | 3. Ownership Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 5) | 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership<br>(Instr. 5) |
|------------------------------------|--|---|--|

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

|   |   |  |   |   |  |
|---|---|--|---|---|--|
| 1. Title of Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 4) | 2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 4) | 4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative | 5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: | 6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership<br>(Instr. 5) |
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|                        | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title        | Amount or Number of Shares | Security | Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) |
|------------------------|------------------|-----------------|--------------|----------------------------|----------|---------------------------------------|
| Restricted Stock Units | Â (1)            | Â (1)           | Common Stock | 500,000                    | \$ (1)   | D Â                                   |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Relationships |           |                           |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------------------------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                   | Other |
| SACHDEV RAKESH<br>C/O PLATFORM SPECIALTY PRODUCTS CORP.<br>1450 CENTREPARK BLVD, SUITE 210<br>WEST PALM BEACH, FL 33401 | Â X           | Â         | Â Chief Executive Officer | Â     |

## Signatures

/s/ Rakesh Sachdev 01/05/2016

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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).  
 Consist of 250,000 time-based restricted stock units vesting on December 31, 2018 and 250,000 performance-based restricted stock units vesting upon the satisfaction of certain performance criteria, as measured from January 5, 2016 to December 31, 2018, in each case subject to the reporting person's continuous employment with the Issuer on December 31, 2018. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock of the Issuer. The restricted stock units may, in certain circumstances, become immediately vested as of the date of (i) a termination of the reporting person's employment with the Issuer or (ii) a change in control of the Issuer.

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