

AZZ 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 \*  
FERGUSON THOMAS E

(Last) (First) (Middle)

ONE MUSEUM PLACE, SUITE  
500, 3100 WEST 7TH STREET

(Street)

FORT WORTH, TX 76107

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
AZZ INC [AZZ]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
04/27/2016

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

President and CEO

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

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**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)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
COMMON STOCK	04/27/2016		M		3,104 A \$ 0	22,605	D
COMMON STOCK	04/27/2016		F <sup>(1)</sup>		856 D \$ 57.47	21,749	D
COMMON STOCK	04/27/2016		M		27 A \$ 0 <sup>(2)</sup>	21,776	D

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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	(3)	04/27/2016		M	3,104	(4) (5)	COMMON STOCK	3,104
Restricted Stock Units	(3)	04/27/2016		A	7,830	(6) (6)	COMMON STOCK	7,830
Performance Share Units	(7)	04/27/2016(7)		A	7,830	(8) (8)	COMMON STOCK	7,830

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
FERGUSON THOMAS E ONE MUSEUM PLACE, SUITE 500 3100 WEST 7TH STREET FORT WORTH, TX 76107	X		President and CEO	

## Signatures

/s/ Tara D. Mackey, attorney-in-fact for Thomas E. Ferguson

04/29/2016

\_\_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) The reporting person disposed of 856 shares of common stock to satisfy tax withholding obligations.
  - (2) Represents the vesting of dividend equivalent rights accrued on 3,104 restricted stock units ("RSUs") granted on 4/27/2015, which AZZ has elected to pay in shares of AZZ common stock. These dividend equivalent rights vest when, and if, the underlying RSUs vest.
  - (3) Each restricted stock unit ("RSU") represents a contingent right to receive one share of AZZ common stock.
  - (4) The RSUs granted on 4/27/2015, vest ratably over a 3-year period beginning on 4/27/2016.
  - (5) Once vested, the shares of common stock are not subject to expiration.

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- (6) The RSUs are granted under AZZ's 2014 Long Term Incentive Plan (the "2014 Plan") and vest over a three-year period with 1/3rd of the RSUs vesting on each of the first, second and third anniversaries of the grant date beginning on 4/27/2017.
- (7) Each Performance Share Unit ("PSU") represents a contingent right to receive shares of AZZ common stock with the actual number varying based on achieved results.

- The PSUs are issued under AZZ's 2014 Plan. The PSUs will vest and become payable, if at all, on the third anniversary from the date of grant, ranging from 0% to 200% based on AZZ achieving a 8.5% target average adjusted return on assets from March 1, 2016 to February 28, 2019. Actual payout will be subject to a multiplier up to a maximum of 250% of the target award if AZZ's total shareholder return for the three-year period ranks within the top quartile relative to each company in a custom industry peer group for the same period.
- (8)

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