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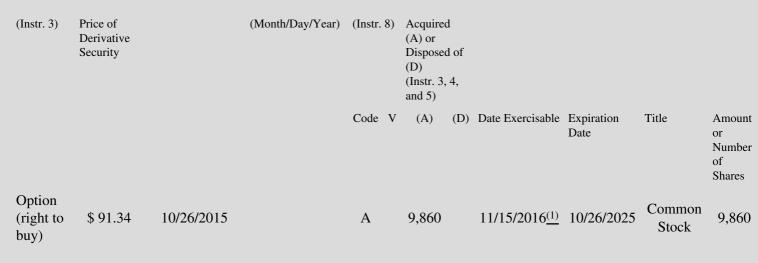
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| Form 4 | | | | | | | | | | |
| October 28, 2015 | | | | | | | | | PPROVA | ۹L |
| | UNITED | STATES | | RITIES A | | | COMMISSIO | N OMB Number: | 3235 | -0287 |
| Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations | CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERS SECURITIES ection 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 | | | | nge Act of 1934, | Estimated burden hoi response | urs per | ry 31, 2005 0.5 | | |
| may continue. See Instruction 1(b). | | | | • | • | npany Act ny Act of 1 | | on | | |
| (Print or Type Respon | nses) | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> HOLLOWAY JANET M | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MONSANTO CO /NEW/ [MON] | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | | | | |
| (\mathbf{L}_{+}) (\mathbf{E}_{-++}) (\mathbf{M}_{+}^{+}) | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction | | | | (Check all applicable) | | | |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) MONSANTO COMPANY, 800 N. LINDBERGH BLVD. | | | (Month/Day/Year) 10/26/2015 | | | Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Sr VP Chief of Staff, Comm Rel | | | | |
| | | | | If Amendment, Date Original iled(Month/Day/Year) | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | |
| (City) (| State) | (Zip) | Tab | le I - Non-l | Derivative | Securities A | cquired, Disposed | of, or Beneficia | ally Owne | d |
| | insaction Date th/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemo Execution any (Month/Da | Date, if | 3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8) Code V | Disposed (Instr. 3, 4 | (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 Indirect Beneficia Ownersh (Instr. 4) | al 1ip |
| Reminder: Report on | a separate line | for each cl | ass of sect | urities bene | Perso inforn requii | ns who res nation cont red to resp ays a curre | or indirectly. spond to the colle ained 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 | 6. Date Exercisable and | 7. Title and Amount of |
|-------------|-------------|---------------------|--------------------|------------|----------------|-------------------------|------------------------|
| Derivative | Conversion | (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if | Transactio | nof Derivative | Expiration Date | Underlying Securities |
| Security | or Exercise | | any | Code | Securities | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 3 and 4) |

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Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | |
|---|---------------|------------|--------------------------------|-------|--|--|--|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| HOLLOWAY JANET M MONSANTO COMPANY 800 N. LINDBERGH BLVD. ST. LOUIS, MO 63167 | | | Sr VP Chief of Staff, Comm Rel | | | | |
| Signatures | | | | | | | |
| Jennifer L. Woods, Attorney-in-Fact | | 10/28/2015 | | | | | |
| **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).

One-third of the options become exercisable on November 15, 2016, one-third of the options become exercisable on November 15, 2017
 (1) and the remainder of the options become exercisable on November 15, 2018, subject to the terms and conditions of the Monsanto Company 2005 Long-Term Incentive Plan.

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