#### FAGRE NATHAN E

Form 4

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(Last)

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading **FAGRE NATHAN E** Issuer Symbol Spectrum Brands Holdings, Inc. [SPB]

(Check all applicable)

C/O SPECTRUM BRANDS

(First)

HOLDINGS, INC., 3001 DEMING WAY

(State)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 12/01/2017

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

SVP, GC and Secretary

(Middle)

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(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

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#### MIDDLETON, WI 53562

(City)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Benefit								
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit r(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	spose	d 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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	12/01/2017		M	3,677	A	<u>(1)</u>	40,751	D	
Common Stock	12/01/2017		F	1,824 (2)	D	\$ 114.21	38,927	D	
Common Stock	12/01/2017		M	6,640	A	(3)	45,567	D	
Common Stock	12/01/2017		F	3,294 (4)	D	\$ 114.21	42,273	D	
	12/01/2017		M	2,811	A	<u>(5)</u>	45,084	D	

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Common Stock							
Common Stock	12/01/2017	F	1,395 (6)	D	\$ 114.21	43,689	D
Common Stock	12/01/2017	M	4,018	A	(7) (8)	47,707	D
Common Stock	12/01/2017	F	1,993 (9)	D	\$ 114.21	45,714	D
Common Stock	12/08/2017	A	1,231	A	<u>(10)</u>	46,915	D
Common Stock	12/08/2017	F	611	D	\$ 114.47	46,334	D

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Performance Rights (12)	<u>(1)</u>	12/01/2017		M		3,677	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	3,677
Performance Rights (12)	(3) (5)	12/01/2017		M		9,451	(3)(5)	(3)(5)	Common Stock	9,451
Performance Rights (12)	<u>(7)</u> <u>(8)</u>	12/01/2017		A	8,074		(7)(8)	(7)(8)	Common Stock	8,074
Performance Rights (12)	<u>(7)</u> <u>(8)</u>	12/01/2017		M		4,018	(7)(8)	(7)(8)	Common Stock	4,018

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

FAGRE NATHAN E C/O SPECTRUM BRANDS HOLDINGS, INC. 3001 DEMING WAY MIDDLETON, WI 53562

SVP, GC and Secretary

# **Signatures**

/s/ Nathan E. Fagre 12/20/2017

\*\*Signature of Date
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).
- The remaining 50% of the performance rights granted on February 2, 2015 under the Spectrum Brands Holdings, Inc. S2B Plan vested on December 1, 2017, and such performance rights representing the S2B Service Award portion of Mr. Fagre's S2B Award, settled for 3,677 shares of the Issuer's common stock.
- (2) Represents shares of the Issuer's common stock withheld to satisfy Mr. Fagre's tax withholding obligation upon the vesting and settling of performance rights of the S2B Service Award portion of Mr. Fagre's S2B Award.
- The remaining 50% of the performance rights granted on December 15, 2015 under the Spectrum Brands Holdings, Inc. 2016 Equity (3) Incentive Plan (the "2016 EIP Award") vested on December 1, 2017, and such performance rights representing the 2016 EIP Service Award portion of Mr. Fagre's 2016 EIP Award, settled for 6,640 shares of the Issuer's common stock.
- (4) Represents shares of the Issuer's common stock withheld to satisfy Mr. Fagre's tax withholding obligation upon the vesting and settling of performance rights of the 2016 EIP Service Award portion of Mr. Fagre's 2016 EIP Award.
  - On December 1, 2017, Mr. Fagre also received, 2,811 additional shares, representing the 2016 EIP Additional Award portion of Mr. Fagre's 2016 EIP Award, based on the Issuer exceeding by a certain percentage the 2016 adjusted EBITDA and 2016 consolidated free
- (5) cash flow targets for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2016. The 2016 EIP Additional Award vested on December 1, 2017 since Mr. Fagre remained employed by the Issuer as of such date and the Issuer's 2017 adjusted EBITDA and consolidated free cash flow results were equal to or greater than the comparable results for 2016.
- Represents shares of the Issuer's common stock withheld to satisfy Mr. Fagre's tax withholding obligation upon the vesting and settling of performance rights of the 2016 EIP Additional Award portion of Mr. Fagre's 2016 EIP Award.
  - Performance rights granted on December 15, 2016 under the Spectrum Brands Holdings, Inc. 2017 Equity Incentive Plan (the "2017 EIP Award") were earned as of December 1, 2017, and 50% of such performance rights, representing the 2017 EIP Performance Award
- (7) portion of Mr. Fagre's 2017 EIP Award, settled for 4,018 shares of the Issuer's common stock. In addition, 4,018 shares, representing the 2017 EIP Service Award portion of Mr. Fagre's 2017 EIP Award, will vest on December 1, 2018 if Mr. Fagre remains employed by the Issuer on such first anniversary.
- Mr. Fagre also shall be eligible to receive up to 38 additional shares, representing the 2017 EIP Additional Award portion of Mr. Fagre's 2017 EIP Award, based on the Issuer exceeding 2017 consolidated free cash flow targets for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2018.
- The 2017 EIP Additional Award will vest on December 1, 2018 if Mr. Fagre remains employed by the Issuer as of such date and will be payable if the Issuer's consolidated free cash flow results are equal to or greater than the comparable results for 2017.
- (9) Represents shares of the Issuer's common stock withheld to satisfy Mr. Fagre's tax withholding obligation upon the vesting and settling of performance rights of the 2017 EIP Performance Award portion of Mr. Fagre's 2017 EIP Award.
- (10) The shares represent the cash value of the Management Incentive Award under the Issuer's 2017 Management Incentive Plan.
- (11) These shares of the Issuer's common stock were surrendered to satisfy Mr. Fagre's tax withholding requirements resulting from the vesting of his Management Incentive Award.
- (12) Each performance right represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's common stock.

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