SHERMAN JENNIFER L

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

SHERMAN JENNIFER L

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC CO INC

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

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(Last) (First) (Middle)

(Month/Day/Year)

02/15/2019

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

(Check all applicable)

X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

1415 W. 22ND STREET, SUITE

(Street)

(State)

1100

(City)

(Instr. 3)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(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

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

OAK BROOKE, IL 60523

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

(A)

or

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)

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 1. Title of (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction of Derivative Expiration Date Derivative Conversion

5. Number

6. Date Exercisable and

7. Title and Amount of Underlying

8. Price Derivat

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Securities

(Month/Day/Year)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Yea	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(A) or Dispose (D) (Instr. and 5)	red sed of 3, 4,	(1331111)		(Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 5
				Code V	/ (A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
stock units	<u>(1)</u>	02/15/2019		A	61.8	1	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	common stock	61.81	\$ 50

Reporting Owners

or Exercise

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
SHERMAN JENNIFER L 1415 W. 22ND STREET SUITE 1100 OAK BROOKE, IL 60523	X						

Signatures

Security

Jonathan M. Grandon, power of attorney for Jennifer L

Sherman

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

any

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).

Pursuant to terms of the Nonemployee Directors' Deferred Compensation Plan approved by the Board of Directors on February 11, 2000 and amended and restated on April 28, 2006, Ms. Sherman elected to receive her 2014-2018 stock award, meeting fees, and retainer of Franklin Electric Co., Inc common stock, issuance of such shares deferred until she retires or otherwise leaves the Board of Directors (e.g. Stock Units). On February 15, 2019, Ms. Sherman was credited with 61.81 Stock Units for dividends that would have been paid on such deferred shares. At distribution, Ms. Sherman may elect pursuant to the terms of the Plan to receive her deferred compensation either in shares of Franklin common stock or in cash.

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