FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name an	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol OPTICAL CABLE CORP [OCC]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)									
SMITH TRACY G						OF TICKE CADEL CORE [OCC]									Dire	ctor	10%	Owner	
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(Last) (First) (Middle) L						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)									belo	below) below)		<i>ı</i>)	
5290 CONCOURSE DRIVE					07/31/2017										SVP a	nd CFO			
3230 CO.																			
,							4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable				
(Street)														Li	Line)				
ROANO	KE VA	VA 24019													X Form filed by One Reporting Person				
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(City)	(St	ate) (Zip)												Per	son			
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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	2.	3. Transaction	3A. Deemed	ed 4	4.		5. Number		6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and					8. Price of	9. Number o	of 10.	11. Nature		
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Explanation of Responses:

1. 407 shares are being surrendered as allowed by the Company's Amended and Restated 2011 Stock Incentive Plan to cover the payment of taxes currently due on previously granted restricted shares.

Remarks:

/s/ Tracy G. Smith

08/01/2017

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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