FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| Name and Address of Reporting Person* WILLIAMSON JOHN B III | | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol OPTICAL CABLE CORP [OCC] | | | | | | | | (Che | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | | |
|--|---|--|--|-------|---|---|-----|---------|------------------------------------|---|---|----------|-----------------------------------|--|---|---|--------------------------------------|--|------------|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 5290 CONCOURSE DRIVE | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/01/2014 | | | | | | | | | | Offic below | er (give title | | 10% Owner Other (specify below) | |
| Street) ROANOKE VA 24019 (City) (State) (Zip) | | | | | | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | Line |) 【 Forn | or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable m filed by One Reporting Person m filed by More than One Reporting son | | | |
| Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date) | | | | | Execution Date, | | | n Date, | Code (Instr. 5) | | | | | Secur Benef | icially d Following | 6. Own Form: I (D) or I (I) (Inst | Direct ndirect | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | | | | | | | Code | v | Amount | (A (C |) or) | Price | Transa | action(s) 3 and 4) | | | (111511.4) |
| Common Stock | | | | 04/01 | /2014 | | | | A | | 7,356 ⁽ | (1) A | | \$ <mark>0</mark> | 7 | 76,062 | | D | |
| | | Та | ble II - D | | | | | | | | sed of, onvertib | | | | Owned | | | | |
| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Dat if any (Month/Day/Yo | Date, | Code (Inst | | | | 6. Date E Expiratio (Month/D | 9 | and 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) | | D S (I | Price of erivative ecurity nstr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4) | Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | nership m: ect (D) Indirect | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisa | | Expiration Date | Title | Amou or Numb of Share | per | | | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. Represents an award under the issuer's amended 2004 Non-Employee Directors Stock Plan for a portion of the annual retainer and long term incentive for directors of the board for the 2014-2015 board year.

04/03/2014 John B. Williamson, III

** 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).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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