FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* STEPAN F QUINN							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol STEPAN CO [SCL]									Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner					
(Last) 22 W. FR	(First) (Middle) FRONTAGE ROAD					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/28/2013									X Officer (give titl below)			Othe belov an	(specify v)		
(Street) NORTHFIELD IL 60093 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. 11	Line) X Form filed b									n filed by C	Group Filing (Check Applicable One Reporting Person More than One Reporting					
			Table	e I - No	on-Deriv	ative	Se	curitie	s Ac	quired	d, Di	sposed o	f, or B	enefi	ciall	y Own	ed				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transacti Date (Month/Day)				tion	Execution Date,			3. Transa Code (8)	ction				and Securitie Beneficia		nt of es ally Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
										Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	•	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)	
Common	Stock				10/28/2	2013				S		100	D	\$60).17	438	,601		D		
Common	Stock				10/28/2	2013				S		100	D	\$60).18	438	,501		D		
Common Stock 10/29					10/29/2	2013				S		1,000	D	\$6	\$60 4		7,501		D		
Common Stock 10/29/				2013	013			S		200	D	\$60	0.05	437,301			D				
Common	Stock															70,9	73.39			By ESOP II Trust	
Common	Stock															530	,542		I	Stepan Venture II Partnership	
Common Stock															140		I G		By self as custodian for children		
Common Stock																286	,126		I	By spouse	
			Ta	ble II -								osed of, convertib				Owned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	of 2. 3. Transaction Date Execution Difference (Month/Day/Year)		med on Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of		-	Exerction Da	cisable and	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amoun or Numbe of Title Shares		8. D S (III	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) (Instr. 5) (Instr. 5) 9. Numb derivative Securitie Benefici Owned Followin Reporter Transact (Instr. 4)		Ownersh Form: Direct (D or Indirect (I) (Instr.		11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			

Explanation of Responses:

Frank Quinn Stepan

10/30/2013

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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