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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan for the purchase or sale of equity securities of the issuer that is intended to satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See instruction 10.

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Rojo Luis</u>  (Last) (First) (Middle) 1101 SKOKIE BOULEVARD, SUITE 500  (Street) NORTHBROOK IL 60062  (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>STEPAN CO [ SCL ]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) President & CEO
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/27/2026	
4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 03/04/2026		

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	02/27/2026		A		56.765	A	\$52.51	15,697.666	D	
Common Stock								511.83	I	By Esop II Trust

**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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative 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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	03/02/2026		A		19,976		03/02/2027 <sup>(2)</sup>	03/02/2029	Restricted Stock Units	19,976	\$0	19,976	D	
Performance Shares	(3)	03/02/2026		A		39,952		(4)	(4)	Common Stock	39,952	\$0	39,952	D	
Stock Appreciation Right	\$50.06 <sup>(5)</sup>	03/02/2026		A		57,241		03/02/2027 <sup>(2)</sup>	03/03/2036	Common Stock	57,241	\$0	57,241	D	

**Explanation of Responses:**

- Each RSU represents a contingent right to receive one share of Stepan Company common stock.
- Vests ratably over three years beginning on the date shown.
- Each performance share represents a contingent right to receive one share of Stepan Company common stock.
- The performance shares vest upon the certification of Stepan Company achieving certain performance goals for the performance period ending December 31, 2028.
- This Form 4/A amends the reporting person's original Form 4 filed on March 4, 2026 (the "Original Filing"). The Original Filing inadvertently reported an incorrect stock appreciation right ("SAR") conversion/exercise price due to an administrative error in the pricing calculation. The correct conversion/exercise price for the reported transaction is \$50.06 not \$17.47 as previously reported. This amendment corrects the reported conversion/exercise price. No other aspects of the reported transaction are affected.

/s/ James A. Hart, Attorney-in-Fact for Luis Rojo 05/12/2026

\*\* 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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