FORM 5

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington,	D.C.	20549

ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL **OWNERSHIP**

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Form 3 Holdings Reported.

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Dearth Randall S.</u>				2. Issuer Name STEPAN (Relationship Check all app X Direc	olicable)	rting Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner				
(Last) 1101 SK	(Firs	t) (LEVARD, SUI	Middle) TE 500	3. Statement fo 12/31/2021	r Issuer's Fisc	al Year Ended (N	y/Year)	Office below	er (give titl v)		ner (specify low)	
(Street) NORTH	BROOK IL	te) (50062 Zip)			ginal Filed (Montl	,	Ĺi	ne) X Form Form Perso	i filed by C i filed by N on	oup Filing (Che One Reporting More than One	Person
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	3. Transaction Code (Instr.	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disport (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amou Securitie Benefici	unt of ies cially	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial	
				(Month/Day/Year)	8)	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Issuer's	at end of Fiscal str. 3 and	(D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common	Stock		11/05/2021		G	83	D	\$0	8,226		D	
Common	Stock		11/05/2021		G	83	D	\$0	8,226		D	
Common	Stock		11/05/2021		G	83	D	\$0	8,2	226	D	
Common	Stock		11/05/2021		G	42	D	\$0	8,2	8,226		
Common	Stock		11/05/2021		G	42	D	\$0	8,2	8,226		
Common	Stock		12/06/2021		G	373	D	\$0	8,2	8,226		
Common Stock 12/00		12/06/2021		G	2,193	D	\$0	8,2	226	D		
		Ta	ble II - Derivat (e.g., p	ive Securities uts, calls, wa						d		
1. Title of 2. Derivative Conversion Date Execution Date, Security or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any Code (Instr. Dr.					ate Exercisable ar		itle and	8. Price of Derivative Security Securitie			11. Nati	

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)	of		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)
					(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

Explanation of Responses:

/s/ Stephanie J. Pacitti,

Attorney-in-fact for Randall S. 02/14/2022

Dearth

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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