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FORM 4

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1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Stauch John L | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PENTAIR plc [PNR] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | |
|---|-----------|----------|--|---|--|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) | | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction | (Check all applicable) | | |
| | | | (Month/Day/Year) | Director 10% Owner | | |
| 5500 WAYZATA BLVD., SUITE 800 | | | 01/02/2019 | _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Executive Vice President, CFO | | |
| (Street) | | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check | | |
| GOLDEN VALLEY, MN 55416 | | | Filed(Month/Day/Year) | Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting | | |
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| (City) | (State) (2 | Zip) Table | e I - Non-D | erivative S | Securi | ties Acqu | ired, Disposed of | , or Beneficiall | y Owned |
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securition(A) or Di (Instr. 3, | sposed | of (D) | 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) |
| Common Shares - Restricted Stock Units | 01/02/2019 | | A <u>(1)</u> | 27,800 | A | \$ 0 | 85,468.648 (2) (3) | D | |
| Common Shares | 01/02/2019 | | F(4) | 8,174 | D | \$ 37.77 | 17,981 <u>(2)</u> | D | |
| Common Shares | 01/03/2019 | | F(4) | 1,902 | D | \$ 36.64 | 20,249 (2) | D | |
| Common Shares - | | | | | | | 49,252.109 (5) (3) | I | Plan Agent |

Plan

Common

Shares - 857.79 (3) I By ESOP

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Common

Shares - 210.723 (6) D

ESPP

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

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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 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) | nsactionDerivative le Securities | | Derivative Expiration Date Securities (Month/Day/Year) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) | | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | |
|---|--|--------------------------------------|---|---|-------------------------------------|-----|--|--------------------|---|----------------------|
| Employee | Security | | | Code V | 5) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount Number Shares |
| Employee Stock Option | \$ 37.77 | 01/02/2019 | | A <u>(7)</u> | 122,549 | | (8) | 01/02/2029 | Common Shares | 122,54 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · | | | | | |
|--------------------------------|----------|---------------------------------------|---------|-------|--|--|--|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |

Director 10% Owner Of

Executive Vice President, CFO

Relationships

Stauch John L

(right to buy)

5500 WAYZATA BLVD., SUITE 800 GOLDEN VALLEY, MN 55416

Signatures

/s/ John K. Wilson, Attorney-in-Fact for John L.

Stauch 01/04/2019

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) Restricted stock units granted pursuant to and subject to a vesting condition of the Pentair 2012 Stock and Incentive Plan. Each restricted stock unit represents the right to receive one Pentair plc share upon vesting.
- (2) End-of-period holdings reflect the vesting of restricted stock units that were previously reported.
- (3) End-of-period holdings include shares acquired under a dividend reinvestment plan in exempt transactions not required to be reported pursuant to Section 16(a).
- (4) Shares surrendered to pay taxes applicable to vesting of restricted stock units.
- (5) Shares of Pentair Ltd. common shares will be delivered to the reporting person in accordance with their irrevocable deferral election.
- (6) End-of-period holdings include monthly purchase(s) under the Pentair plc Employee Stock Purchase and Bonus Plan (ESPP) in exempt transaction(s) pursuant to Rule 16b-3(c); and shares acquired pursuant to a dividend reinvestment feature of the ESPP.
- (7) Employee stock option granted under the Pentair plc 2012 Stock and Incentive Plan.
- (8) One-third of the stock options become exercisable on the first, second, and third anniversary of the grant.

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