FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     McLaughlin Charles E		son <sup>*</sup>	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Fortive Corp [ FTV ]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner  Officer (give title Other (specify
(Last) 6920 SEAWAY	(First) (Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/22/2021	X Officer (greenly below)  SVP - Chief Financial Officer
(Street) EVERETT	WA	98203	If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
(City)	(State)	(Zip)		I sim mod sy more than one repetiting research

#### 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)			4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	02/22/2021		М		14,322	A	\$20.12	60,872(1)	D	
Common Stock	02/22/2021		S		14,322	D	\$67.16(2)	46,550	D	
Common Stock	02/22/2021		F		902(3)	D	\$67.09	45,648	D	
Common Stock	02/23/2021		F		2,320(4)	D	\$67.44	43,328	D	

### 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. Transac Code (Ir 8)		Derivative		Expiration Date		Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr.		Derivative	Owned Following Reported	Ownership Form:	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$20.12	02/22/2021		М			14,322	(5)	02/23/2021	Common Stock	14,322	\$0	0	D	

- 1. In connection with the spin-off of Vontier Corporation by the Issuer, outstanding Restricted Stock Units ("RSUs"), including RSUs previously granted to the Reporting Person, were subject to anti-dilution adjustments ("Anti-Dilution Adjustment"). To the extent that the outstanding RSUs granted to the Reporting Person were previously reported under Table I, the total number of shares reported include the additional RSUs held by the Reporting Person as a result of the Anti-Dilution Adjustment.
- 2. The price reported in Table I, Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$67.13 to \$67.19. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide to the Issuer, any security holder of Issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth herein
- 3. This transaction relates to the withholding of shares for tax purposes in connection with the vesting and distribution of restricted stock units.
- 4. This transaction relates to the withholding of shares for tax purposes in connection with the vesting and distribution of restricted stock awards.
- 5. Prior to the separation of the Issuer from Danaher Corporation ("Danaher") on July 2, 2016 (the "Separation"), one-fifth of the stock options issued by Danaher on February 23, 2011 ("2011 Danaher Options") to the Reporting Person became exercisable on each of the first five anniversaries of the grant date. In connection with the Separation, the 2011 Danaher Options that remained outstanding as of July 2, 2016 were converted into stock options to purchase 11,908 shares of the Issuer's common stock with identical vesting schedule. In addition, the total number of stock options and the exercise price reflect an anti-dilution adjustment applied as a result of the spin-off of Vontier Corporation from the Issuer on October 9, 2020.

### Remarks:

Daniel B. Kim, as attorney-in-fact 02/24/2021

\*\* 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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