

**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* <u>McLaughlin Charles E</u>  (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>6920 SEAWAY BLVD</u>  (Street) <u>EVERETT WA 98203</u>  (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>Fortive Corp [ FTV ]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <u>SVP - Chief Financial Officer</u>
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>02/24/2021</u>	
	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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	02/24/2021		A		16,605 <sup>(1)</sup>	A	(2)	59,933	D	
Common Stock	02/24/2021		A		959 <sup>(3)</sup>	A	(2)	60,892	D	
Common Stock	02/24/2021		A		6,331 <sup>(4)</sup>	A	(2)	67,223	D	
Common Stock	02/24/2021		M		5,751	A	(2)	72,974	D	
Common Stock	02/24/2021		F		2,883 <sup>(5)</sup>	D	\$67.4	70,091	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. 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
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$67.64	02/24/2021		A		58,700		(6)	02/24/2031	Common Stock	58,700	\$0	58,700	D	
Restricted Stock Unit	(2)	02/24/2021		M			5,751	(7)	(7)	Common Stock	5,751	\$0	0	D	

**Explanation of Responses:**

- On February 24, 2021, the Compensation Committee of the Issuer (the "Committee") awarded the Reporting Person Restricted Stock Units ("RSUs"). This transactions is being reported to identify the portion of the RSUs that are subject only to time-based vesting provisions. Pursuant to the terms of the award, additional RSUs may be issued upon determination by the Committee that the corresponding performance criteria have been achieved.
- Restricted stock units are payable in shares of common stock on a one-to-one basis.
- On February 20, 2020, the the Committee awarded the Reporting Person RSUs with the opportunity to earn additional RSUs ("Additional RSUs") upon achievement of corresponding performance criteria. This transaction is being reported in connection with the determination by the Committee on February 24, 2021 that the performance criteria of the Additional RSUs have been achieved. The Additional RSUs remain subject to time-based vesting provisions.
- On February 22, 2018, the Committee awarded the Reporting Person Performance Stock Units ("PSUs") subject to achievement of corresponding performance criteria. This transaction is being reported in connection with the determination by the Committee on February 24, 2021 that the performance criteria of the PSUs have been achieved. The shares remain subject to a two-year holding period requirement.
- This transaction relates to the withholding of shares for tax purposes in connection with the vesting and distribution of restricted stock units.
- One half of the options granted vest on each of the third and fourth anniversary of the grant date.
- In connection with the separation of the Issuer from Danaher Corporation ("Danaher"), Restricted Stock Units issued by Danaher on February 24, 2016 to the Reporting Person that remained unvested as of July 2, 2016 were converted into 23,921 Restricted Stock Units of the Issuer vesting in five equal annual installments beginning on February 24, 2017. In addition, the total number of Restricted Stock Units of the Issuer reflect an anti-dilution adjustment applied as a result of the spin-off on Vontier from the Issuer on October 9, 2020.

**Remarks:**

Daniel B. Kim, as attorney-in-fact 02/26/2021

\*\* 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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