

CASTLE A M & CO  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
KNOPP RONALD E

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
1420 KENSINGTON ROAD, SUITE 220  
(Street)

OAK BROOK, IL 60523

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
CASTLE A M & CO [CAS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
07/24/2015

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_X\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
EVP, Chief Operating Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
\_X\_ 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 Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Code V Amount (D) Price		

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	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 3.92	07/24/2015	A	36,505					(1)	07/23/2025	Common Stock	36,505
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 3.92	07/24/2015	A	14,100					(2)	07/23/2025	Common Stock	14,100

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
KNOPP RONALD E 1420 KENSINGTON ROAD SUITE 220 OAK BROOK, IL 60523			EVP, Chief Operating Officer	

## Signatures

Marec E. Edgar,  
Attorney-in-Fact

07/28/2015

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person Date

## 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) As awarded under the A.M. Castle & Co. 2015-2017 Long-Term Compensation Plan, one-third, or 12,168, options shall be vested on February 25, 2016, and exercisable on July 24, 2016, an additional one-third, or 12,168, options shall be vested and exercisable on February 25, 2017, and the final one-third, or 12,169, options shall be vested and exercisable on February 25, 2018, provided the Reporting Person is employed by A.M. Castle & Co. on each of the vesting dates.
- (2) As awarded under the A.M. Castle & Co. 2015 Short-Term Incentive Plan, one-third, or 4,700, options shall be vested and exercisable on July 24, 2016, an additional one-third, or 4,700, options shall be vested and exercisable on July 24, 2017, and the final one-third, or 4,700, options shall be vested and exercisable on July 24, 2018, provided the Reporting Person is employed by A.M. Castle & Co. on each of the vesting dates.

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