MARTEN TRANSPORT LTD

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading MARTEN RANDOLPH L Issuer Symbol MARTEN TRANSPORT LTD (Check all applicable) [MRTN] _X_ Director _X__ 10% Owner (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction _X__ Officer (give title _ __ Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) 129 MARTEN STREET 03/14/2017 Chairman of the Board and CEO (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

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1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securi	ties A	cquired	5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of	
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	n(A) or Di	spose	d of	Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect	
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(D)		Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial		
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Owned Following	Indirect (I)	Ownership		
					(A)		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	,			
Common Stock	03/14/2017		A	274 (1)	A	\$0	7,151,211.32 (2)	D		
Common Stock	03/14/2017		F	536	D	\$ 23.7	7,150,675.32 (2)	D		

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

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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	e and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative	Deriv
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						Date	Expiration		or		
						Exercisable	Date	Title Number			
				C 1 W	(A) (D)				of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
Topolong of the Fund of Fundament	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
MARTEN RANDOLPH L 129 MARTEN STREET MONDOVI, WI 54755	X	X	Chairman of the Board and CEO					

Signatures

/s/ James J. Hinnendael, 03/16/2017 attorney-in-fact

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- 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).
- Of these shares and shares previously reported that vest based on service, 1,853 shares have been deferred under the Issuer's deferred **(1)** compensation plan.
 - Includes: (i) 2,240 shares granted under a Performance Unit Award Agreement that vest on 12/31/2017 through 12/31/2020; (ii) 1,710 shares granted under a Performance Unit Award Agreement that vest on 12/31/2017 through 12/31/2019; (iii) 1,200 shares granted under
- (2) a Performance Unit Award Agreement that vest on 12/31/2017 through 12/31/2018, (iv) 900 shares granted under a Performance Unit Award Agreement that vest on 12/31/2017 and (v) 31,685.32 shares that the reporting person has deferred under the Issuer's deferred compensation plan.

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