Courduroux Pierre Form 4 November 16, 2017

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).
(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Courduroux Pierre 2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

MONSANTO CO /NEW/ [MON]

(Last)

(C:tr.)

(First)

MONSANTO COMPANY, 800 N.

(Street)

(Ctota)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 11/15/2017

_____ Director _____ 10% Owner ____ X__ Officer (give title _____ Other (specify

below)

below)
SVP and CFO

LINDBERGH BLVD.

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Person

ST. LOUIS, MO 63167

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-I	Derivative	Secui	rities 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose	d 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 Stock	11/15/2017		F	1,956 (1)	D	\$ 117.26	52,405	D	
Common Stock							1,209	I	By 401(k) Plan

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)

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Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer Other Director 10% Owner

Courduroux Pierre MONSANTO COMPANY 800 N. LINDBERGH BLVD. ST. LOUIS, MO 63167

SVP and CFO

Signatures

Matthew E. Johnson, Attorney-in-Fact

11/16/2017

**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).
- On November 15, 2017, 4,078 time-based restricted stock units became fully vested for which taxes became due and payable. 1,956 restricted stock units were used for the payment of these taxes.

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