Narain Duraiswami Form 4 November 16, 2017

FORM 4

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See Instruction

(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 Narain Duraiswami Issuer Symbol MONSANTO CO /NEW/ [MON] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner _X__ Officer (give title Other (specify MONSANTO COMPANY, 800 11/15/2017 below) NORTH LINDBERGH BLVD. Vice President and Treasurer (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 ST. LOUIS, MO 63167 Person (C:tr.) (State) (Zin

(City)	(State)	Tabl	able 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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securitor(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	spose 4 and (A) or	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	571 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 117.26	9,344	D			
Common Stock							1,530	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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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> 10% Owner Officer Other Director

Narain Duraiswami MONSANTO COMPANY 800 NORTH LINDBERGH BLVD. ST. LOUIS, MO 63167

Vice President and Treasurer

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, 1,708 restricted stock units became fully vested for which taxes became due and payable. 571 restricted stock units were used for the payment of these taxes.

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