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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Addre Loadman Thon	•	ng Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Koppers Holdings Inc. [KOP]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
436 SEVENTH AVENUE			(Month/Day/Year) 03/02/2018	Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) SVP, N. American, RPS			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
PITTSBURGH, PA 15219			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) 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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	03/02/2018		A	5,606	A	\$ 0	41,697.7302	D	
Common Stock	03/02/2018		M	462	A	\$ 0 (1)	42,159.7302	D	
Common Stock	03/02/2018		A	25,376	A (2)	\$0	67,535.7302	D	
Common Stock	03/02/2018		F	11,727	D (3)	\$ 41.6	55,808.7302 (4)	D	

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 (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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Options (Rights to Buy)	\$ 41.6	03/02/2018		A	14,264	<u>(5)</u>	03/02/2028	Common Stock	14,264
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	03/02/2018		M	462	<u>(6)</u>	<u>(6)</u>	Common Stock	462

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Loadman Thomas D 436 SEVENTH AVENUE

PITTSBURGH, PA 15219

SVP, N. American, RPS

Signatures

/s/Steven R. Lacy, Attorney-in-Fact 03/06/2018

**Signature of Reporting Person Da

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) Restricted stock units convert into common stock on a one-for-one basis.
- (2) Represents previously granted performance share units for which the performance criteria for the three-year performance period of 2015 through 2017 have been satisfied.

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- (3) Shares surrendered to the issuer by the reporting person as payment for the tax withholding related to the vesting of time-based and performance-based restricted stock units.
- Includes 500 shares of Koppers Holdings Inc. common stock acquired pursuant to the Koppers Holdings Inc. Employee Stock Purchase (4) Plan ("ESPP") as of December 29, 2017, the date of the latest available statement of the reporting person's ESPP Holdings. These acquisitions were exempt under both Rule 16b-3(c) and Rule 16b-3(d).
- (5) The reporting person was granted stock options on March 2, 2018, which will vest 100 percent upon the first anniversary of the grant date.
- (6) On March 3, 2017, the reporting person was granted restricted stock units, vesting in four equal annual installments beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date.

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