

SKYWEST INC
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
SIMMONS ROBERT J

(Last) (First) (Middle)
444 S RIVER ROAD
(Street)

ST. GEORGE, UT 84790

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
SKYWEST INC [SKYW]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
08/10/2016

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
Chief Financial Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Following 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)	Price		
Common Stock	08/10/2016		P	V	1,000	A	\$ 27.69
					64,178 ⁽¹⁾	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)

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of 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)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 14.12					02/17/2016 ⁽²⁾ 04/02/2022	Common Stock	24,233
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 14.78					02/10/2017 ⁽³⁾ 02/10/2023	Common Stock	22,889

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SIMMONS ROBERT J 444 S RIVER ROAD ST. GEORGE, UT 84790			Chief Financial Officer	

Signatures

Robert J. Simmons 08/10/2016

__Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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).

Includes 62,178 restricted stock units, of which 31,089 vest approximately three years from the date of grant and 31,089 vest upon achievement of performance measurements approximately three years from the date of grant. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock.
 - (1) achievement of performance measurements approximately three years from the date of grant. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock.
 - (2) Stock Options become exercisable in equal annual installments of 33.33% starting on February 10, 2016.
 - (3) Stock Options become exercisable in equal annual installments of 33.33% starting on February 10, 2017.

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