

Moran Thomas E.  
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# FORM 4

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Moran Thomas E.

(Last) (First) (Middle)

30 PEMBROKE ROAD

(Street)

DUBLIN 4, L2 --

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
Eaton Corp plc [ETN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
02/23/2018

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)

Sr VP and Secretary

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) | (A) or (D) | 5. Amount or Price | 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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|------------|--------------------|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| Ordinary Shares                 | 02/23/2018                           |  | M                              | 281 <u>(1)</u>  | A          | \$ 0               | 11,074  | D  |                                   |
| Ordinary Shares                 | 02/23/2018                           |  | F                              | 147 <u>(2)</u>  | D          | \$ 0               | 10,927  | D  |                                   |
| Ordinary Shares                 | 02/23/2018                           |  | M                              | 358 <u>(1)</u>  | A          | \$ 0               | 11,285  | D  |                                   |
| Ordinary Shares                 | 02/23/2018                           |  | F                              | 187 <u>(2)</u>  | D          | \$ 82.12           | 11,098  | D  |                                   |
| Ordinary Shares                 |                                      |  |                                |   |            |                    | 600   | I  | by spouse                         |

Ordinary Shares 181.223 <sup>(3)</sup> I by trustee of ESP

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. 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 |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Restricted Stock Units                     | \$ 0   | 02/23/2018                           |  | M                              | 281   | 02/24/2016 <sup>(4)</sup>                                | Ordinary Shares   | 281                           |
| Restricted Stock Units                     | \$ 0   | 02/23/2018                           |  | M                              | 358   | 02/23/2017 <sup>(5)</sup> <sup>(5)</sup>                 | Ordinary Shares   | 358                           |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                         | Relationships |           |                     |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------------------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer             | Other |
| Moran Thomas E.<br>30 PEMBROKE ROAD<br>DUBLIN 4, L2 -- |               |           | Sr VP and Secretary |       |

## Signatures

/s/ Lizbeth L. Wright, as Attorney-in-Fact 02/26/2018

\*\*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).
- (1) These ordinary shares were acquired upon the vesting and settlement of certain restricted stock units.
- (2) These ordinary shares were delivered to the Issuer to pay for the applicable withholding tax due upon vesting of certain restricted stock units.
- (3) These ordinary shares are held in the Eaton Savings Plan.
- (4) These restricted stock units were granted on February 24, 2015 and vest as follows: 33% on the first and second anniversary of the grant date and the remaining 34% on the third anniversary of the grant date.
- (5) These restricted stock units vest as follows: 33% on the first and second anniversary of the date of the grant and the remaining 34% on the third anniversary of the date of the grant.

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