

Knowles Corp  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
Adell Michael A.

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O KNOWLES CORPORATION, 1151 MAPLEWOOD DRIVE

(Street)

ITASCA, IL 60143

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
Knowles Corp [KN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
03/07/2014

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)  
Co-President, MCE

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

Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |  | Code                           | V   | Amount  | (D)  | Price                             |
| Common Stock                    | 03/07/2014                           |  | A                              |   | 21,673  | A  | \$ 0                              |
| Common Stock                    |                                      |  |                                |   | 290   | 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)

| 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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|
|  |  |                                      |  | Code                           | V (A) (D)   | Date Exercisable Expiration Date                         | Title Amount or Number of Shares                            |
| Stock Option (right to buy)                | \$ 29.53   | 03/07/2014                           |  | A                              | 44,444  | (1) 03/05/2021   | Common Stock 44,444   |
| Stock Option (right to buy)                | \$ 29.53   | 03/07/2014                           |  | A                              | 32,000  | (2) 03/05/2021   | Common Stock 32,000   |
| Stock Appreciation Right                   | \$ 22.17   | 03/07/2014                           |  | A                              | 14,438  | 03/07/2014 02/10/2021                                    | Common Stock 14,438   |
| Stock Appreciation Right                   | \$ 21.77   | 03/07/2014                           |  | A                              | 22,057  | 02/09/2015 02/09/2022                                    | Common Stock 22,057   |
| Stock Appreciation Right                   | \$ 23.92   | 03/07/2014                           |  | A                              | 20,068  | 02/15/2016 02/14/2023                                    | Common Stock 20,068   |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Relationships |           |                   |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|-------------------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer           | Other |
| Adell Michael A.<br>C/O KNOWLES CORPORATION<br>1151 MAPLEWOOD DRIVE<br>ITASCA, IL 60143 |               |           | Co-President, MCE |       |

## Signatures

/s/ Joseph W. Schmidt, as attorney-in-fact  
Date: 03/11/2014

\*\*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 options vest in equal parts on the third and fourth anniversaries of March 7, 2014.

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(2) These options vest in equal parts on March 9, 2015, March 7, 2016 and March 7, 2017.

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