S&W Seed Co Form 4 December 15, 2015

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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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 may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(Last)

(City)

(Instr. 3)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Smith William S

(First) (Middle)

3200 CHERRY CREEK SOUTH DRIVE, SUITE 720

(Street)

(State)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

S&W Seed Co [SANW]

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

12/11/2015

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

3.

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4. Securities

DENVER, CO 80209

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Zip)

(Month/Day/Year)

TransactionAcquired (A) or Code (Instr. 8)

Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

(A) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

Securities Beneficially Owned Following

5. Amount of

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

Issuer

below)

X_ Director

Applicable Line)

Officer (give title

Reported Transaction(s)

(D) or Indirect Beneficial (I) (Instr. 4)

6. Ownership

Form: Direct

Ownership (Instr. 4)

Indirect

7. Nature of

10% Owner

Other (specify

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

(Check all applicable)

Estimated average

burden hours per

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 Conversion Security or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if any

4. 5. Number of **Transaction**Derivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)		Acquired or Dispose (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	ed of				
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 4.25	12/11/2015		A		10,000		01/01/2016(1)	12/11/2025	Common Stock	10,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
reporting owner runter reduces	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Smith William S 3200 CHERRY CREEK SOUTH DRIVE, SUITE 720 DENVER, CO 80209	X					

Signatures

William S.
Smith

**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) The options vest and become exercisable on January 1, 2016, assuming continued service with the Issuer on such vesting date.

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