

WALCHIRK MARK S  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
**WALCHIRK MARK S**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**PATTERSON COMPANIES, INC.  
[PDCO]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
**1031 MENDOTA HEIGHTS ROAD**  
  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**12/01/2017**

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
**President & CEO**

**ST. PAUL, MN 55120**

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

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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 Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)			
				(A) or (D)	Price					
Common Stock	12/01/2017		A <sup>(1)</sup>	V	9,119	A	\$ 35.41	9,119	D	
Common Stock	12/01/2017		A <sup>(2)</sup>	V	56,481	A	\$ 35.41	65,600	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. 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)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option	\$ 35.41	12/01/2017		A <sup>(3)</sup>	52,764	12/01/2020	12/01/2027	Common Stock	52,764

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
WALCHIRK MARK S 1031 MENDOTA HEIGHTS ROAD ST. PAUL, MN 55120	X		President & CEO	

## Signatures

Les B. Korsh, by Power of Attorney  
12/05/2017

\*\*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) Represents Restricted Stock Units ("RSUs") awarded on 12/1/2017 to Reporting Person pursuant to the Patterson Companies, Inc. 2015 Omnibus Incentive Plan. The award vests in 5 equal annual installments commencing on the one year anniversary of the date of grant and each anniversary thereafter.
  - (2) Represents an inducement award granted outside the 2015 Omnibus Incentive Plan to Reporting Person on 12/1/2017. The RSUs awarded vest, assuming continued employment, 50% on the first anniversary of the date of grant and the remaining 50% on the second anniversary of the date of grant.
  - (3) Stock options granted pursuant to Patterson Companies, Inc. 2015 Omnibus Incentive Plan on 12/1/2017.

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