COTY INC. Form 4 June 17, 2014

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** Lacassagne Geraud-Marie | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol COTY INC. [COTY] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|----------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--|--|--|
| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction | (Check an applicable) | | | |
| COTY INC., 350 FIFTH AVENUE | | | (Month/Day/Year) 06/13/2014 | Director 10% Owner _X Officer (give title Other (specify below) SVP of Human Resources | | | |
| (Street) | | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check | | | |
| NEW YORK, NY 10118 | | | Filed(Month/Day/Year) | Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | |

| (City) | (State) | (Zip) 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securit corr Dispos (Instr. 3, | ed of | ` ′ | 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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| Class A common stock (1) | 06/13/2014 | | M | 62,500 | , , | \$ 0 | 246,218 | D | | |
| Class A common stock (1) | 06/16/2014 | | S | 4,047 | D | \$ 16.9873 | 242,171 | D | | |
| Class A common stock (2) | 06/17/2014 | | S | 1,645 | D | \$ 16.9057 | 240,526 | 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of orDerivative 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. Pr Deriv Secu (Inst |
|-----------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------|----------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| | | | | Code V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | |
| IPO Units (1) | (3) | 06/13/2014 | | M | | 62,500 | <u>(3)</u> | (3) | Class A common | 62,500 | \$ |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Lacassagne Geraud-Marie COTY INC. 350 FIFTH AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10118

SVP of Human Resources

Signatures

/s/ Michelle Garcia,
Attorney-in-Fact
06/17/2014

**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).
- The transactions represent vesting and settlement of IPO Units on June 13, 2014. Shares were sold to pay withholding taxes pursuant to Mr. Lacassagne's 10b5-1 plan in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$16.96 to \$17.18, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Coty Inc., any security holder of Coty Inc., or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in this footnote.
- The transactions represent vesting and settlement of IPO Units on June 13, 2014. Shares were sold to pay withholding taxes pursuant to

 Mr. Lacassagne's 10b5-1 plan in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$16.87 to \$17.03, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Coty Inc., any security holder of Coty Inc., or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in this footnote.
- (3) Upon vesting, each IPO Unit settles for one share of Class A common stock of Coty Inc.

Reporting Owners 2

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