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FORM 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Parkinson John

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading

Symbol

Prestige Brands Holdings, Inc.

[PBH]

(Middle)

(Zip)

(Last)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 05/14/2013

660 WHITE PLAINS RD.

(State)

(First)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

(Check all applicable)

____ Director __X__ Officer (give title

_____ 10% Owner itle _____ Other (specify

below)

Senior VP- International
6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

(Instr. 4)

(Instr. 4)

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person ___ Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

Following

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

TARRYTOWN, NY 10591

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Indirect (I) Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned

(A) Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

or (Instr. 3 and 4)

Common

per share

(City)

Stock, par value \$0.01 05/14/2013

A 2,800

A \$0 46,133

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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 29.94	05/14/2013		A	12,046	<u>(2)</u>	05/14/2023	Common stock	12,046

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Parkinson John

660 WHITE PLAINS RD. Senior VP- International

TARRYTOWN, NY 10591

Signatures

/s/ John Parkinson by Samuel C. Cowley as attorney-in-fact pursuant to power of attorney dated May 8, 2012 on file with the Commission

05/16/2013

**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 restricted stock units vest on May 14, 2016.
- (2) The option vests in three installments as follows: 4,016 on May 14, 2014 and 4,015 on each of May 14, 2015 and 2016.

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