Eckert Andrew J Form 4 November 29, 2012

# FORM 4

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Eckert Andrew J			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol TENNANT CO [TNC]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
	(First)  COMPANY 16, 701 N. L		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/27/2012	Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Vice President, The Americas			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivativ	e Secu	rities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Transaction Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)  (A) or Code V Amount (D) Price				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)
Common Stock	11/27/2012		M	311	A	\$ 32.33	8,388	D	
Common Stock	11/27/2012		M	138	A	\$ 34.81	8,526	D	
Common Stock	11/27/2012		M	7,462	A	\$ 10.08	15,988	D	
Common Stock	11/27/2012		S	7,911	D	\$ 37.9169 (1)	8,077	D	
Common Stock	11/28/2012		M	2,538	A	\$ 10.08	10,615	D	

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Common Stock	port on a separate line for each class of sec	urities ber	neficially ov	wned d	lirectly or in	2,670.0572	I	ESOP & Profit Sharing
Common Stock	11/28/2012	S	2,538	D	\$ 37.7	8,077	D	

# 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 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
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 10.08	11/27/2012		M		7,462	02/27/2012	02/27/2019	Common Stock	7,462
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 34.81	11/27/2012		M		138	06/05/2008	02/19/2013	Common Stock	138
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 32.33	11/27/2012		M		311	05/31/2007	02/19/2013	Common Stock	311
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 10.08	11/28/2012		M		2,538	02/27/2012	02/27/2019	Common Stock	2,538

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Eckert Andrew J TENNANT COMPANY, LEGAL DEPT., MD 16 701 N. LILAC DR. MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55422

Vice President, The Americas

### **Signatures**

/s/ Amy M. Jensen on behalf of Andrew J. Eckert

11/29/2012

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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Reflects the weighted average price of 7,911 shares of Common Stock of Tennant Company sold by the reporting person in multiple transactions on November 27, 2012 with sale prices ranging from \$37.70 to \$38.08. The reporting person undertakes to provide upon

request by the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission staff, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.

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