ACUITY BRANDS INC

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Black Mark A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

ACUITY BRANDS INC [AYI]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

below)

(Last)

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

06/01/2016

(Check all applicable)

(Month/Day/Year)

Director X_ Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

below)

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C/O ACUITY BRANDS, INC., 1170 PEACHTREE STREET. NE SUITE

(Street)

2300

Security

(Instr. 3)

Common

Stock (1)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Code

(Instr. 8)

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

ATLANTA, GA 30309

(City) (State) (Zip) 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 1. Title of

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 3. 4. Securities Acquired

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

(A)

Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

6. 7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Form: Direct Beneficial (D) or Ownership

Indirect (I) **Following** Reported (Instr. 4)

Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Price

255.14

06/01/2016

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

Code V Amount (D) F D 2,278

41,308 (2)

D

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

(Month/Day/Year)

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(Instr. 4)

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	e and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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					of (D)						(Instr
					(Instr. 3,						
					4, and 5)						
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						Date	Expiration		or		
						Exercisable	Date		Number		
				~					of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			

Black Mark A C/O ACUITY BRANDS, INC. 1170 PEACHTREE STREET, NE SUITE 2300 ATLANTA, GA 30309

EVP

Signatures

/s/ Mark A. 06/09/2016 Black

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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 transaction(s) reported relate(s) to the vesting of restricted stock held by the reporting person.
- (2) The total direct shares owned includes 38,654 time-vesting restricted shares.

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