

MITAROTONDA JAMES A

Form 4

May 22, 2018

**FORM 4****UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
MITAROTONDA JAMES A

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O BARINGTON CAPITAL  
GROUP, L.P., 888 SEVENTH  
AVENUE, 6TH FLOOR

(Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10019

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

AVON PRODUCTS INC [AVP]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)

05/18/2018

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner  
☐ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting  
Person

**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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	05/18/2018		P		212,841	A	\$ 1.9203	3,233,528	I	By Barington Companies Equity Partners, LP <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>
Common Stock	05/21/2018		P		85,136	A	\$ 1.908	3,318,664	I	By Barington Companies Equity Partners,

Common Stock	05/22/2018	P	138,411	A	\$ 1.9034	3,457,075	I	LP <sup>(1)</sup> <sup>(2)</sup> By Barington Companies Equity Partners, LP <sup>(1)</sup> <sup>(2)</sup>
Common Stock	05/18/2018	P	11,993	A	\$ 1.9203	255,843	I	By Barington Companies Investors, LLC <sup>(2)</sup> <sup>(3)</sup>
Common Stock	05/21/2018	P	4,797	A	\$ 1.908	260,640	I	By Barington Companies Investors, LLC <sup>(2)</sup> <sup>(3)</sup>
Common Stock	05/22/2018	P	3,730	A	\$ 1.9034	264,370	I	By Barington Companies Investors, LLC <sup>(2)</sup> <sup>(3)</sup>
Common Stock						8,333	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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MITAROTONDA JAMES A C/O BARINGTON CAPITAL GROUP, L.P. 888 SEVENTH AVENUE, 6TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10019	X			

## Signatures

James A.

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05/22/2018

\*\*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 Reporting Person is the sole stockholder and director of LNA Capital Corp. LNA Capital Corp. is the general partner of Barington Capital Group, L.P., which is the majority member of Barington Companies Investors, LLC ("Barington Investors"). Barington Investors is the general partner of Barington Companies Equity Partners, L.P.

(2) The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein, and this report shall not be deemed to be an admission that the Reporting Person is the beneficial owner of these shares for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

(3) The Reporting Person is the sole stockholder and director of LNA Capital Corp. LNA Capital Corp. is the general partner of Barington Capital Group, L.P., which is the majority member of Barington Investors. As of the date of the latest transaction reported on this form, Barington Investors directly owns 101,821 shares of common stock of the Company. Barington Investors may also be deemed to beneficially own 162,549 shares of common stock of the Company as the investment advisor to a third party. Pursuant to the terms of an investment advisory agreement between Barington Investors and such party, Barington Investors manages an investment account that holds, among other things, 162,549 shares of common stock of the Company.

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