Dickson Richard Form 4 August 03, 2017

FORM 4

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Dickson Richard

> (First) (Middle)

333 CONTINENTAL **BOULEVARD**

(Street)

EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

MATTEL INC /DE/ [MAT]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/01/2017

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

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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

Pres & Chief Operating Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-I	Derivative :	Secur	ities Acqu	iired, Disposed of	f, 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit on(A) or Dir (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	of (D)	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	08/01/2017		M	5,674	A	<u>(1)</u>	59,654	D	
Common Stock	08/01/2017		F	2,961 (2)	D	\$ 19.72	56,693	D	
Common Stock	08/01/2017		M	10,085	A	<u>(3)</u>	66,778	D	
Common Stock	08/01/2017		F	5,263 (4)	D	\$ 19.72	61,515	D	
Common Stock							1,297 (5)	I	In 401(k)

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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. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Securities Code Acquired (A) or (Instr. 8) Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amor Underlying Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am Nu Sha
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	08/01/2017		M		5,674	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	5
Restricted Stock Units	(3)	08/01/2017		M		10,085	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	10
Employee Stock Option - Right to Buy	\$ 19.72	08/01/2017		A	544,959		<u>(6)</u>	08/01/2027	Common Stock	54

Reporting Owners

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

Dickson Richard

333 CONTINENTAL BOULEVARD Pres & Chief Operating Officer

EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245

Signatures

/s/ Julie Kwok, Attorney-in-Fact for Richard
Dickson 08/03/2017

**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) As reported on a Form 4 dated August 1, 2014 and filed on August 4, 2014, the Reporting Person received a grant of 11,348 Restricted Stock Units ("RSUs" or "Units") on August 1, 2014. The RSUs vest as to 50% of the Units on the second anniversary of the date of grant

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and as to the remaining 50% of the Units on the third anniversary of the date of grant. On each vesting date, for each Unit vesting on such date, the Reporting Person will receive one share of Mattel, Inc. Common Stock (or, at the election of Mattel, Inc., a cash amount equal to the fair market value of one share of Common Stock on the date of vesting), subject to tax withholding. On August 1, 2017, the remaining 50% of these RSUs vested, resulting in the issuance of 5,674 shares of Mattel, Inc. Common Stock.

- (2) Pursuant to the terms of the August 1, 2014 RSU grant, 2,961 shares of Mattel, Inc. Common Stock were automatically withheld at vesting to cover required tax withholding.
 - As reported on a Form 4 dated August 1, 2016 and filed on August 3, 2016, the Reporting Person received a grant of 30,562 RSUs on August 1, 2016. The RSUs vest as to (a) 33% of the Units granted on the first anniversary of the date of grant, (b) an additional 33% of the Units granted on the second anniversary of the date of grant, and (c) the remaining 34% of the Units granted on the third anniversary
- (3) of the date of grant. On each vesting date, for each Unit vesting on such date, the Reporting Person will receive one share of Mattel, Inc. Common Stock (or, at the election of Mattel, Inc., a cash amount equal to the fair market value of one share of Common Stock on the date of vesting), subject to tax withholding. On August 1, 2017, the first 33% of these RSUs vested, resulting in the issuance of 10,085 shares of Mattel, Inc. Common Stock.
- Pursuant to the terms of the August 1, 2016 RSU grant, 5,263 shares of Mattel, Inc. Common Stock were automatically withheld at vesting to cover required tax withholding.
- (5) As of August 1, 2017, the Reporting Person had a balance of \$25,586.29 in the Mattel Stock Fund of Mattel, Inc.'s 401(k) plan, the Personal Investment Plan ("PIP"). The number of shares has been calculated by the plan administrator for the PIP.
- The option was granted on August 1, 2017 pursuant to the Mattel, Inc. Amended and Restated 2010 Equity and Long-Term

 Compensation Plan. The option vests and becomes exercisable with regard to (a) 33% of the shares granted on the first anniversary of the date of grant, (b) an additional 33% of the shares granted on the second anniversary of the date of grant, and (c) the remaining 34% of the shares granted on the third anniversary of the date of grant.

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