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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *				2. Is	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
BOYNTON PAUL G					RAYONIER ADVANCED MATERIALS INC. [RYAM]						_X _ Director		1	0% Owner	
(Last)	(Last) (First) (Middle)				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY)						X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Chairman, President and CEO				
1301 RIVER BOULEVAI		E 2300					3/2	23/2015							
(Street)				4. I	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (MM/DD/YYYY)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)				
JACKSONVILLE, FL 32207 (City) (State) (Zip)											X_Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
			Гable I - N	on-Deri	ivati	ive So	ecurities Ac	equired,	Disposed	of, or Ben	eficially Own	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)]	ate 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any 3. Trans. Co. (Instr. 8) Code			or E (Ins	or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Fo (In		Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned sollowing Reported Transaction(s) sstr. 3 and 4)			Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
	Tabl	e II - Deriv	vative Sec	urities B	Bene	ficial	ly Owned ((<i>e.g.</i> , pu	ts, calls, v	varrants, o	options, conve	ertible sec	urities)		
1. Title of Derivate Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	Date	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Trans. Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)				7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned	Form of Derivative Security:	Beneficial
	Security			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	
Special Restricted Stock Unit Award	\$0.0000 (1)	3/23/2015		J			1.0000 (1)	<u>(1)</u>	8/31/2018	Common Shares	1.0000 (1)	<u>(1)</u>	0.0000 (1)	D	

Explanation of Responses:

(1) On March 23, 2015, at the Compensation and Management Development Committee's direction, Mr. Boynton's retention award agreement (the "Agreement"), dated May 28, 2014, was amended to convert the guaranteed value RSU award described in the Agreement, and originally reported in a Form 4 filed on June 30, 2014, to a cash award. The award, as amended, will vest and become payable solely in cash, at the same value as the original award, on August 31, 2018, subject to Mr. Boynton's continued employment with the Company and possible earlier vesting upon events specified in the Agreement.

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
BOYNTON PAUL G 1301 RIVERPLACE BOULEVARD SUITE 2300 JACKSONVILLE, FL 32207	X		Chairman, President and CEO					

Signatures

Brenda K. Davis, Attorney-in-Fact

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- * 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).

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