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|  | FORM  | 4  | UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION<br>Washington, D.C. 20549 |         |  |        |  |        |  |        |  |   |   |  |  |   | OMB APPROVAL                         |  |  |  |
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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <sup>*</sup> BALL M LEROY (Last) (First) (Middle)                                    |   |  |  |         | or Section 30(h) of the investment Company Act of 1940         2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol         Koppers Holdings Inc.         [ KOP ]         3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)         01/04/2022 |        |  |        |  |        |  |   |   | (Ch  | Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer<br>teck all applicable)<br>X Director 10% Owner<br>X Officer (give title Other (specify<br>below)<br>President and CEO |   |                                      | ner  |  |  |
|  |   |  | 15219<br>(Zip)   |         | 4.1  | If Ame | ndment, I  | Date o | of Original Filed (Month/E                                 |        |  | ay/Yea  | ar) 6. Individual or Joi<br>Line) X Form file |  |  | ed by One Reporting Person<br>ed by More than One Reporting   |                                      |  | ו  |  |
|  |   | Tab  | ole I - No   | n-Deriv | vativ  | e Se   | curities   | s Ac   | quired,  | Dis    | posed o  | of, or  | Ben   | eficiall   | y Owned  |   |                                      |  |  |  |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)<br>Date<br>(Month/D  |   |  |  |         | Executio   |        |  | Code ( | Transaction<br>Code (Instr.                                |        | 4. Securities Acquired (A)<br>Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3,<br>5) |   |   | 5. Amoun<br>Securities<br>Beneficia<br>Following | Form<br>Iy Owned (D) o   |   | n: Direct<br>r Indirect<br>Instr. 4) | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership                      |  |  |
|  |   |  |  |         |  |        |  |        | Code   | v      | Amount   | (/<br>(E  | A) or<br>D)                                   | Price  | Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4)   |   |                                      |  | (Instr. 4)   |  |
| Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup> 01/04/   |   |  |  |         | /2022  | 2022   |  |        |  |        | 19,364   | 4   | A \$0.00                                      |  | 258,181.2224 <sup>(2)</sup>  |   |                                      | D  |  |  |
|  |   | -  | Table II -   |         |  |        |  |        |  |        | osed of,<br>convertil  |   |   |  | Owned  |   |                                      |  |  |  |
| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)  | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deeme<br>Execution<br>if any<br>(Month/Da                              | Date,   | 4.<br>Fransa<br>Code (<br>3)   |        | 5. Number<br>of<br>Derivative<br>Securities<br>Acquired<br>(A) or<br>Disposed<br>of (D) (Instr.<br>3, 4 and 5) |        | 6. Date Exercisable<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |        | e  | and 7. Title and Am<br>of Securities<br>Underlying<br>Derivative Secu<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |   | s<br>Security                                    | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5)  | 9. Numbe<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficia<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transactii<br>(Instr. 4) | e<br>S<br>Ily<br>I                   | 10.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |  |
|  |   |  |  |         | Code   | v      | (A)  | (D)    | Date<br>Exercisat  |        | Expiration<br>Date   | Title   |   | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares           |  |   |                                      |  |  |  |
| Employee<br>Stock<br>Options<br>(Pight to  | \$32.19   | 01/04/2022                                 |  |         | A  |        | 53,180   |        | (3)  |        | 01/04/2032   | Comr  |   | 53,180   | \$0.00   | 53,18   | 0                                    | D  |  |  |

Explanation of Responses:

1. The reporting person was awarded time-based restricted stock units on January 4, 2022, which will vest in annual installments of 25 percent over four years.

2. Includes 741 shares of Koppers Holdings Inc. common stock acquired pursuant to the Koppers Holdings Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan on June 30, 2021 and September 30, 2021. These acquisitions were exempt under both Rule 16b-3(c) and Rule 16b-3(d).

3. The reporting person was granted stock options on January 4, 2022, which will vest in annual installments of 25 percent over four years.

## **Remarks**:

Buy)

## <u>/s/Stephanie L. Apostolou,</u>

Attorney in Fact

01/06/2022

\*\* 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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