

SPROTT FOCUS TRUST INC.

Form 4

July 24, 2015

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 *
GEORGE W WHITNEY

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**C/O SPROTT ASSET
MANAGEMENT USA INC., 1910
PALOMAR POINT WAY, SUITE
200**

(Street)

CARLSBAD, CA 92008

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
**SPROTT FOCUS TRUST INC.
[FUND]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
07/23/2015

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)
Portfolio Manager

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	07/23/2015		P		100,000	A	\$ 6.7986
Common Stock							2,786,158
Common Stock							1,094,437
Common Stock							437,817
Common Stock							160,636
							D
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							I
							I
							Held by Spouse
							Held by Children
							Held by Trust ⁽¹⁾

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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 Repor 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

GEORGE W WHITNEY
C/O SPROTT ASSET MANAGEMENT USA INC.
1910 PALOMAR POINT WAY, SUITE 200
CARLSBAD, CA 92008

X Portfolio
Manager

Signatures

W. Whitney
George 07/24/2015

__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).

Shares held in The Mallory Descendant's Trust U/T/A DTD 12/31/2013 (the "Trust"). Mr. George serves as trustee of the Trust and, in
(1) such capacity, has investment and voting discretion over shares held by the Trust. Mr. George's spouse has a pecuniary interest in the Trust.

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