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FORM 3

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* RELATIONAL INVESTORS LLC				2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 05/02/2013		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SPX CORP [SPW]							
(Last) (First) (Middle) 12400 HIGH BLUFF DRIVE, SUITE 600				3/02/2013		Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director				5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)			
(Street) SAN DIEGO CA 92130						Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)			ecify	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person X Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
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			T	able I - Non	-Derivati	ve Securities B	eneficial	ly Owned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)						2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)			
Common Stock						5,336,872	5,336,872 I			Through Limited Partnerships and managed accounts managed by reporting persons ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾			
			(e.g			Securities Ben nts, options, co			s)				
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Explanation of Responses:

1. Relational Investors LLC ("RILLC"), is the general partner of Relational Investors Mid-Cap Fund I, L.P., Relational Investors Mid-Cap Fund II, L.P., Relational Fund Partners, L.P., Relational Investors XV, L.P., Re

2. These Limited Partnerships own a total of 3,613,386 shares. An additional 1,723,486 shares are held in accounts managed by RILLC. All shares are owned indirectly by RILLC. RILLC is managed by Ralph V. Whitworth and David H. Batchelder, each of which is a reporting person hereunder. Ralph V. Whitworth and David H. Batchelder disclaim beneficial ownership of these securities except to the extent of their pecuniary interest therein.

Relational Investors LLC By:

/s/ Ralph V. Whitworth, 05/06/2013

Principal

 /s/ Ralph V. Whitworth
 05/06/2013

 /s/ David H. Batchelder
 05/06/2013

 ** Signature of Reporting Person
 Date

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

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^{*} If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5 (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).