U.S. SILICA HOLDINGS, INC.

Form 4

November 05, 2014

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	UNITED	UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549								-0287	
Check this bo if no longer		STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF								ry 31, 2005	
subject to Section 16. Form 4 or	STATEN	SECURITIES							average urs per	0.5	
Form 5 obligations may continue <i>See</i> Instruction 1(b).	Section 17(	(a) of the l	Public U	tility Hol	ding Cor		nge Act of 1934, of 1935 or Secti 940				
(Print or Type Resp	oonses)										
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Murry David D.			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol U.S. SILICA HOLDINGS, INC. [SLCA]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
	(Check all applicable)										
(Last) C/O U.S. SILIO INC., 8490 PRO	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/03/2014				Director 10% Owner Other (specify below)						
				endment, Day/Yea	_	.1	<ul><li>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check</li><li>Applicable Line)</li><li>_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person</li></ul>				
FREDERICK,	MD 21701						Form filed by Person	More than One R	eporting		
(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially								d	
1.Title of Security (Month/Day/Year) 2A. Deemed Execution Date (Instr. 3) Execution Date any (Month/Day/Year)			Date, if	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit nAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3, 4	(A) or of (D) 4 and 5) (A) or	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 Indirect Beneficia Ownersh (Instr. 4)	al nip	

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4. 5. Number	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and Amount of 8
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction Derivative	Expiration Date	Underlying Securities D

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code V	/ (A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 49.39	11/03/2014		A	2,300		<u>(1)</u>	11/03/2024	Common Stock	2,300

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Murry David D.

C/O U.S. SILICA HOLDINGS, INC. 8490 PROGRESS DRIVE FREDERICK, MD 21701

VP, Talent Management

## **Signatures**

/s/ Sean J. Klein by Power of Attorney

11/05/2014

Date

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

## **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) Option grant dated November 3, 2014, vesting in four equal installments on the anniversaries of the Grant Date.
- (2) Options granted and no price paid therefor.

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