EASTMAN CHEMICAL CO

Form 4 May 06, 2016

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

Symbol

1(b).

King Scott V.

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

C			EASTMAN CHEMICAL CO [EMN]				(Check all applicable)				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 200 SOUTH WILCOX			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/04/2016					Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) CAO & Controller		Owner	
				endment, Date Original nth/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting			
							Person				
(City)	(State) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned										
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction D (Month/Day/Yea	ar) Execution	med on Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	05/04/2016			M	8,000	A	\$ 39.84	25,852	D		
Common Stock	05/04/2016			S	8,000	D	\$ 75.48	17,852	D		
Common Stock	05/04/2016			S	4,000	D	\$ 75.47 (1)	13,852	D		
Common Stock								39	I	By ESOP	
Common Stock								1,999 (2)	I	By 401(k) Plan	

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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	se any (Month/Day/Year)		4. 5. Number Transaction Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 39.84 (3)	05/04/2016		M	8,000 (<u>3)</u>	11/02/2013	11/01/2020	Common Stock	8,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

King Scott V.

200 SOUTH WILCOX CAO & Controller KINGSPORT, TN 37660

Signatures

Brian L. Henry, by Power of

Attorney 05/06/2016

**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).
- Average weighted sale price for shares disposed of in the reported transaction. The shares were sold in multiple broker's transactions at various prices per share ranging from \$75.47 to \$75.48. The reporting person undertakes to provide to the issuer, any stockholder of the issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (2) Includes 4 shares acquired since February 19, 2016 resulting from company contribution and from automatic reinvestment of dividends.

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(3) The option exercise price was halved and the number of shares underlying the option was doubled in the October 3, 2011 2-for-1 stock split by dividend of the common stock.

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