

ALDER JAMES
Form 4/A
January 24, 2005

FORM 4

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

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See Instruction
1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
ALDER JAMES

(Last) (First) (Middle)

1601 W. LBJ FREEWAY

(Street)

DALLAS, TX 75234

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

Celanese CORP [CE]

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

01/20/2005

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

01/24/2005

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
__X__ Officer (give title ____ Other (specify
below) below)

VP, Operations & Technical

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)

X 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	(D)	Price

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 Derivative Security	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)							
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am Nun Sha	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 16	01/20/2005	A		156,422		<u>(1)</u>	01/20/2015	Series A Common Stock	15	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 16	01/20/2005	A		234,633		<u>(2)</u>	01/20/2015	Series A Common Stock	23	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
ALDER JAMES 1601 W. LBJ FREEWAY DALLAS, TX 75234	VP, Operations & Technical

Signatures

Mai-Anh
Nguyen
01/20/2005
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) Granted pursuant to the Company's 2004 Stock Incentive Plan. The options vest with respect to 15% of the Option Shares on January 20, 2005, and subject to continued employment, with respect to 20% on each of December 31, 2005, December 31, 2006, December 31, 2007 and December 31, 2008, and with respect to the remaining 5% on March 31, 2009.
- (2) Granted pursuant to the Company's 2004 Stock Incentive Plan. The options vest with respect to 15% of the Option Shares on January 20, 2005, and subject to continued employment, the remaining shares vest on January 20, 2012, but which vesting may accelerate based on the achievement of certain performance criteria.

Remarks:

This Amended Form 4 corrects the Title of Derivative Securities and the Transaction Code of the originally filed Form 4, and

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