

Oberle Mark  
Form 4  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Oberle Mark

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
Celanese CORP [CE]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
02/17/2012

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)

C/O CELANESE CORPORATION, 1601 W. LBJ FREEWAY

SVP, Corporate Affairs

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

DALLAS, TX 75234

(City) (State) (Zip)

**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 Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				(A) or (D)	Price			
				Code	V	Amount		
Series A Common Stock	02/17/2012		M	11,400	A	\$ 15.16	36,272	D
Series A Common Stock	02/17/2012		S	11,400	D	\$ 52.11 <sup>(1)</sup>	24,872	D
Series A Common Stock						638.66 <sup>(2)</sup>		I
								By 401(k) Plan

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 (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)	Amount or Number of Shares
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 15.16	02/17/2012		M	4,800	<sup>(3)</sup> 04/18/2015	Series A Common Stock	4,800
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 15.16	02/17/2012		M	6,600	<sup>(4)</sup> 04/18/2015	Series A Common Stock	6,600

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Oberle Mark C/O CELANESE CORPORATION 1601 W. LBJ FREEWAY DALLAS, TX 75234			SVP, Corporate Affairs	

## Signatures

/s/ James R. Peacock III, Attorney-in-Fact for Mark Oberle 02/21/2012

\_\_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).

The reported price in this line is a weighted average sales price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from (1) \$51.87 to \$52.50. The reporting person will provide the Company, any security holder of the Company, or the staff of the SEC, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each price within the range.

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- (2) Represents equivalent shares of Series A Common Stock held by the reporting person under the Celanese Americas Retirement Savings Plan as of January 31, 2012.
- (3) Granted pursuant to the Company's 2004 Stock Incentive Plan. The options vested with respect to 20% of the options on each of December 31, 2005, December 31, 2006, December 31, 2007, December 31, 2008 and March 31, 2009.
- (4) Granted pursuant to the Company's 2004 Stock Incentive Plan. The options vested with respect to 15% of the options on December 31, 2005, with respect to 30% on each of December 31, 2006 and December 31, 2007, and with respect to 25% on December 31, 2008.

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