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# FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

1(b).

Brown William M Issuer Symbol Celanese Corp [CE] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) X\_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title C/O CELANESE 05/13/2016 below) CORPORATION, 222 W LAS COLINAS BLVD, SUITE 900N

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person \_Form filed by More than One Reporting

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

**IRVING, TX 75039** 

(State) (Zip) (City) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 5. Amount of 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Indirect (I) Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Price Code V Amount (D) Series A Common 05/13/2016(1) J 3.031 D A <u>(1)</u> 1,475.031

Stock

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)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	e 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code	5. Number ion Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			(Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Pric Deriva Securi (Instr.
				Code V	/ (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Stock	(2)	08/06/2018		A	17.99	<u>(3)</u>	(3)	Series A Common	17.99	\$ 11

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Brown William M

C/O CELANESE CORPORATION

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# **Signatures**

James R. Peacock III, Attorney-in-Fact for William M. Brown

08/07/2018

\*\*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).

Represents shares acquired by the reporting person quarterly between May 13, 2016 and May 11, 2018 under an automatic cash dividend reinvestment program through his broker that has been terminated, at prices ranging from \$70.73 to \$109.60. Due to the nature and de

- (1) minimis size of these transactions, the reporting person inadvertently failed to report these transactions under Section 16(a). The reporting person will provide to the Company, any security holder of the Company, or the staff of the SEC, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares acquired at each price.
- (2) Each share of phantom stock represents the right to receive one share of Series A Common Stock.

The reported phantom stock represents dividend equivalents on compensation deferred under the Company's 2008 Deferred

(3) Compensation Plan (the "Plan"). The shares of phantom stock become payable in shares of Series A Common Stock, as provided in the Plan, following the termination of the reporting person's service as a director of the Company.

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