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## FORM 4

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1(b).

(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** WALTERS FARAH M           |         |          | Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading     Symbol     Celanese Corp [CE] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer   |  |  |  |
|--|---------|----------|---|--|--|--|--|
| (Last)   | (First) | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)                    | (Check all applicable)  X Director 10% Owner   |  |  |  |
| C/O CELANESE<br>CORPORATION, 222 W. LAS<br>COLINAS BLVD., SUITE 900N |         |          | 05/13/2012  | Officer (give title Other (specify below)  |  |  |  |
| (Street)   |         |          | 4. If Amendment, Date Original                                      | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  |  |  |  |
| IRVING, TX 75039-5421  |         |          | Filed(Month/Day/Year)   | Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person |  |  |  |

| (City)          | (State) (2          | Table              | I - Non-Do                 | erivative S         | Securi | ties Ac      | quired, Disposed | of, or Beneficial | lly Owned    |
|-----------------|---------------------|--------------------|----------------------------|---------------------|--------|--------------|------------------|-------------------|--------------|
| 1.Title of      | 2. Transaction Date | 2A. Deemed         | 3.                         | 4. Securi           | ties   |              | 5. Amount of     | 6. Ownership      | 7. Nature of |
| Security        | (Month/Day/Year)    | Execution Date, if | TransactionAcquired (A) or |                     |        | r            | Securities       | Form: Direct      | Indirect     |
| (Instr. 3)      |                     | any                | Code                       | Disposed of (D)     |        | Beneficially | (D) or           | Beneficial        |              |
|                 |                     | (Month/Day/Year)   | (Instr. 8)                 | (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) |        |              | Owned            | Indirect (I)      | Ownership    |
|                 |                     |                    |                            |                     |        |              | Following        | (Instr. 4)        | (Instr. 4)   |
|                 |                     |                    |                            |                     | (4)    |              | Reported         |                   |              |
|                 |                     |                    |                            |                     | (A)    |              | Transaction(s)   |                   |              |
|                 |                     |                    | Code V                     | Amount              | (D)    | Price        | (Instr. 3 and 4) |                   |              |
| Series A        |                     |                    |                            |                     |        |              |                  |                   |              |
| Common<br>Stock | 05/13/2012          |                    | D                          | 1,664               | D      | <u>(1)</u>   | 22,313           | D                 |              |

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<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | e 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | Code   | 5. Number ion Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | e Expiration D      | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) |                             | 7. Title and Amount of<br>Underlying Securities<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |           |
|---|---|---|---|--------|--|---------------------|--|-----------------------------|---|-----------|
|   |   |   |   | Code V | / (A) (D)  | Date<br>Exercisable | Expiration<br>Date                                       | Title                       | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares                              |           |
| Phantom<br>Stock                                    | (2)   | 05/13/2012                              |   | A      | 1,664  | (3)                 | (3)  | Series A<br>Common<br>Stock | 1,664   | <u>(1</u> |

## **Reporting Owners**

WALTERS FARAH M C/O CELANESE CORPORATION 222 W. LAS COLINAS BLVD., SUITE 900N IRVING, TX 75039-5421



## **Signatures**

/s/ James R. Peacock III, Attorney-in-Fact for Farah M. Walters

05/15/2012

\*\*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).
- Upon the vesting of restricted stock units granted to the reporting person on May 13, 2011, the reporting person deferred the receipt of 1,664 shares of Series A Common Stock and received instead 1,664 shares of phantom stock pursuant to the Company's 2008 Deferred Compensation Plan. As a result, the reporting person is reporting the disposition of 1,664 shares of Series A Common Stock in exchange for an equal number of shares of phantom stock.
- (2) Each share of phantom stock represents the right to receive one share of Series A Common Stock.
- As provided in the 2008 Deferred Compensation Plan, on the earlier of the date previously elected by the reporting person to receive payment or the termination of the reporting person's service as a director of the Company, the reported phantom stock becomes payable in shares of Series A Common Stock.

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