

McGough Dennis R
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
McGough Dennis R

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
OLIN CORP [OLN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
OLIN CORPORATION, 190
CARONDELET PLAZA SUITE
1530

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
02/10/2005

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

CLAYTON, MO 63105

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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(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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | | (A) or (D) Code V Amount (D) Price | | | |
| Common Stock \$1 par value | | | | | 2,956 | D | |
| Common Stock \$1 par value | | | | | 9,702.6965 ⁽¹⁾ | I | By ESOP Trustee |

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 |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 23.78 | 02/10/2005 | | A | 14,825 | ⁽²⁾ 02/09/2015 | Common Stock | 14,825 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|----------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| McGough Dennis R OLIN CORPORATION 190 CARONDELET PLAZA SUITE 1530 CLAYTON, MO 63105 | | | Vice President | |

Signatures

/s/B. M. Pantalone,
Attorney-in-Fact

02/14/2005

**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 figure shown represents shares of Olin Common Stock acquired on a periodic basis under the Olin Corporation Contributing

(1) Employee Ownership Plan (CEOP), a tax-conditioned plan, and held in the Olin Common Stock Fund of the CEOP, in a transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3, and is based on information provided by the Plan Administrator as of February 10, 2005.

(2) The option vests in three annual installments beginning February 10, 2006.

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