ALBEMARLE CORP

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * WHITTEMORE ANNE M			2. Issuer Name an Symbol	d Ticker or Trading	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	ALBEMARLE © 3. Date of Earliest T		(Check	k all applicable)	
ONE JAMI	ES CENTER		(Month/Day/Year) 06/04/2008			title 10% Owner Other (specify below)	
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, D	ate Original	6. Individual or Jo	int/Group Filing(Check	
			Filed(Month/Day/Yea	ur)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by O	1 0	
RICHMON	ID, VA 23219				Form filed by M Person	ore than One Reporting	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-	Derivative Securities Acq	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficially Owne	
1.Title of	2. Transaction	Date 2A. Deem	ned 3.	4. Securities Acquired	5. Amount of	6. Ownership 7. Natur	

(City)	(State)	Table Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose	d of (D)	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)
Common Stock	06/04/2008		A	1,025 (1) (2)	A	\$ 44.58	16,080 <u>(3)</u>	D	
Common Stock							700	I	Shares held by spouse

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	onNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amoun	t of	Derivative	Deriv
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									Amount		
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						Exercisable	Date		Number		
				C + V	(A) (D)				of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1 8	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
WHITTEMORE ANNE M ONE JAMES CENTER RICHMOND, VA 23219	X						

Signatures

Nicole C. Daniel, Attorney 06/06/2008 in fact

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- 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) Restricted Stock to vest on May 13, 2009, date of Annual Meeting.
- (2) Shares represent 2008 installment of non-employee director's stock compensation pursuant to Non-Employee Director Stock Plan.
- (3) Portion of share increase due to periodic purchases by Albemarle Corporation Dividend Reinvestment Plan.

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