MCNAMARA KEVIN J

Form 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MCNAMARA KEVIN J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

X_ Officer (give title

Issuer

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

CHEMED CORP [CHE]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 02/22/2013

(Check all applicable)

president and CEO

below)

Other (specify

_X__ Director 10% Owner

2600 CHEMED CENTER, 255 **EAST 5TH STREET**

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

below)

CINCINNATI, OH 45202

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Ta	ble I - Non	-Derivativ	e Secu	irities Ac	quired, Disposed	of, 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. Securition(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	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)
capital stock	02/22/2013		S	4,000	D	\$ 78.26	194,210	D	
capital stock	02/25/2013		M	20,000	A	\$ 44.02	214,210	D	
capital stock	02/25/2013		F(1)	14,820	D	\$ 78.32	199,390	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)

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or 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 Amoun of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
stock option(right to buy with tandem tax withholding)	\$ 44.02	02/25/2013		M	20,000	08/19/2009	02/19/2019	capital stock	20,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
MCNAMARA KEVIN J							
2600 CHEMED CENTER	X		president				
255 EAST 5TH STREET	Λ		and CEO				
CINCINNATI, OH 45202							

Signatures

Kevin J.

McNamara 02/25/2013

**Signature of Person Date

Reporting Person

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).
- (1) Payment of purchase price and tax obligation on stock option exercise.

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