FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol POLYONE CORP POL						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)							
NEWLIN STEPHEN D				10		<u> </u>	OIL	<u>L</u> [IOL]			X	Director		10% Ow	ner	
(Last)	(Firs	st) (I	Middle)		3. Da	ate of	Earliest T	ransa	action (Month	/Day/Year)		x	Officer (below)	give title	Other (s below)	pecify
POLYONE CENTER			03/05/2009						Chairman, President & CEO							
33587 WALKER ROAD																
(0)					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)					6. Inc	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
(Street) AVON LA	KE OH	. 4	4012									X	Form file	ed by One Repo	orting Person	
								Form filed by More than One Reporting Person								
(City)	(Sta	ite) (2	Zip)													
		Tab	le I - Non-	-Deriva	ative	Sec	curities	Acc	quired, Di	sposed o	f, or Ber	eficially	Owned			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D				action 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)  4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4)		d (A) or r. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount Securities Beneficial Owned Fo	Forn ly (D) o	Direct I Indirect E str. 4)	7. Nature of ndirect Beneficial Ownership				
						Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transactio (Instr. 3 ar			Instr. 4)			
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	conversion Date (Month/Day/Year) Price of Derivative			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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Co	ode \	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)		
Performance Shares	(1)	03/05/2009			A		246,100		(1)	03/05/2012	Common Stock	246,100	\$0	246,100	D	
Stock Appreciation Right	\$1.43	03/05/2009		,	A		426,100		(2)	03/04/2016	Common Stock	426,100	\$0	426,100	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Each performance share is equal in value to one share of PolyOne common stock and will payout in the form of common shares on a one-for-one basis. Performance shares vest one-third on the attainment of 10%, 20% and 30% stock appreciation (which must be maintained for a minimum of three consecutive trading days) from the grant date closing price of \$1.43 per share. Vested shares will be distributed on the third anniversary of the grant date.
- 2. SARs become exercisable and vest one-third on the attainment of 10%, 20% and 30% stock appreciation (which must be maintained for a minimum of three consecutive trading days) from the grant date closing price of \$1.43 per share, with no more than one-third vesting per year during the first three years.

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Attorney For: Stephen D.

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\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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

- $^{\star}$  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).

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