

Celanese CORP

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF 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 *

Â GALLAGHER JOHN J III

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O CELANESE CORPORATION,Â 1601 W. LBJ FREEWAY

(Street)

DALLAS,Â TXÂ 75234

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Date of Event Requiring Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

08/31/2005

3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
Celanese CORP [CE]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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

(Check all applicable)

☐ Director ☐ 10% Owner☒ Officer ☐ Other

(give title below) (specify below)

Exec. VP & Chief Exec. Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group

Filing(Check Applicable Line)

☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**1. Title of Security
(Instr. 4)2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned
(Instr. 4)3. Ownership Form:
Direct (D)
or Indirect (I)
(Instr. 5)4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
(Instr. 5)

Series A Common Stock

37,000

D Â

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)1. Title of Derivative Security
(Instr. 4)2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date
(Month/Day/Year)3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security
(Instr. 4)

4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative

5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security:

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
(Instr. 5)

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	Â (1)	08/31/2015	Series A Common Stock	292,000	\$ 18.3	D	Â
Non-Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	Â (2)	08/31/2015	Series A Common Stock	438,000	\$ 18.3	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				Other
	Director	10% Owner	Officer		
GALLAGHER JOHN J III C/O CELANESE CORPORATION 1601 W. LBJ FREEWAY DALLAS,Â TXÂ 75234	Â	Â	Â Exec. VP & Chief Exec. Officer		Â

Signatures

/s/ John J.
Gallagher III

09/08/2005

**Signature of
Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(b)(v).

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Upon his employment with the Company, the reporting person received a grant of options pursuant to the Company's 2004 Stock Incentive Plan, 20% of which options will vest, subject to continued employment, on each of December 31, 2005, December 31, 2006, December 31, 2007, December 31, 2008, and March 31, 2009.

Upon his employment with the Company, the reporting person received a grant of options pursuant to the Company's 2004 Stock Incentive Plan, which options will vest (i) subject to continued employment and achievement of certain performance targets, with respect (2) to 15% of the options on December 31, 2005, with respect to 30% of the options on December 31, 2006, with respect to 30% of the options on December 31, 2007, and with respect to 25% of the option shares on December 31, 2008, and (ii) 100%, in any event, regardless of the achievement of certain performance targets, no later than January 21, 2013.

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