SIMMONS HAROLD C

Form 4

February 16, 2012

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

Stock

\$0.01 par value

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

	ddress of Reporting Person * 2. Issuer Na HAROLD C Symbol KRONOS [KRO]				Ticker or T		;	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
				te of Earliest Transaction th/Day/Year) 6/2012				_X_ Director _X_ 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chairman of the Board			
DALLAS, 7	(Street)		ndment, Date Original hth/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					
(City)		(Zip)						Person			
•					erivative S	ecuriti	ies Acq	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Executio any	ned n Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities (A) or Disp (Instr. 3, 4	osed o	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 \$0.01 par value	02/16/2012			P	129,500	, ,	\$ 22.5	677,940	D		
Common Stock \$0.01 par value	02/16/2012			J <u>(1)</u>	129,500	A	\$ 22.5	782,876	I	by Spouse	
Common											

by Valhi

(3)

57,990,042

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Common Stock \$0.01 par value	35,219,270	I	by NL (4)
Common Stock \$0.01 par value	373,334	I	by TFMC
Common Stock \$0.01 par value	5,372	I	by Contran (6)

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	isable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of	9
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	orNumber	Expiration Da	ite	Amou	nt of	Derivative	J
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security	
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securi	ities	(Instr. 5)]
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	Security				Acquired]
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					of (D)						(
					(Instr. 3,						
					4, and 5)						
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									Amount		
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						Exercisable	Date	Title	Number		
				C-J- V	(A) (D)				of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Kelationships					
• 5	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
SIMMONS HAROLD C						
5430 LBJ FREEWAY, SUITE 1700	X	X	Chairman of the Board			
DALLAS TX 75240						

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Signatures

A. Andrew R. Louis, Attorney-in-fact, for Harold C. Simmons

02/16/2012

**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).
- (1) Open market purchase by the reporting person's spouse.
- (2) Directly held by the reporting person's spouse. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of any shares of the issuer's common stock that his spouse holds.
- (3) Directly held by Valhi, Inc. See the Additional Information filed as Exhibit 99 to this statement for a description of the relationship to the reporting person.
- (4) Directly held by NL Industries, Inc. See the Additional Information filed as Exhibit 99 to this statement for a description of the relationship to the reporting person.
- (5) Directly held by TIMET Finance Management Company. See the Additional Information filed as Exhibit 99 to this statement for a description of the relationship to the reporting person.
- (6) Directly held by Contran Corporation. See the Additional Information filed as Exhibit 99 to this statement for a description of the relationship to the reporting person.

Remarks:

Exhibit Index

Exhibit 99 Additional Information

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