SMITH A O CORP Form 4 July 29, 2013

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * JONES PAUL W

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last) (First)

SMITH A O CORP [AOS] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

A. O. SMITH CORPORATION, 11270 WEST

(Middle)

(Zip)

PARK PLACE

(Month/Day/Year) _X__ Director X_ Officer (give title 07/26/2013

_ Other (specify below) **Executive Chairman**

X__ 10% Owner

(Street)

(State)

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

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

MILWAUKEE, WI 53224

(City)

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1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securiti	es Ac	quired (A)	5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactiomr Disposed of (D)			Securities	Ownership	Indirect	
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(Instr. 3, 4	and 5	5)	Beneficially	Form:	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned	Direct (D)	Ownership
							Following	or Indirect	(Instr. 4)
					()		Reported	(I)	
					(A)		Transaction(s)	(Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	07/26/2013		S	40,000	D	\$ 40.842	293,740 (1)	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)

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8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)

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)	TransactionNumber Ex		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 0					<u>(2)</u>	(2)	Common Stock	0
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0					(3)	(3)	Common Stock	0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
JONES PAUL W A. O. SMITH CORPORATION 11270 WEST PARK PLACE MILWAUKEE, WI 53224	X	X	Executive Chairman				

Signatures

James F. Stern, Attorney-in-Fact for Paul W. 07/29/2013

**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) On May 15, 2013, the common stock of A. O. Smith Corporation split 2-for-1, resulting in the reporting person's ownership of 166,870 additional shares of Common Stock.
- (2) On May 15, 2013, the common stock of A. O. Smith Corporation split 2-for-1, resulting in the reporting person's ownership of 160,100 additional Employee Stock Options.
- (3) On May 15, 2013, the common stock of A. O. Smith Corporation split 2-for-1, resulting in the reporting person's ownership of 58,800 additional Restricted Stock Units.

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