

SMITH A O CORP  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN 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 \*  
Anderson Stephen

(Last) (First) (Middle)

A. O. SMITH CORPORATION, 500  
TENNESSEE WALTZ PARKWAY

(Street)

ASHLAND CITY, TN 37015

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
SMITH A O CORP [AOS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
07/29/2013

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

Designated Section 16 Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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)
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price
Common Stock	07/29/2013		M		2,302	A	\$ 11.88
Common Stock	07/29/2013		M		7,800	A	\$ 9.502
Common Stock	07/29/2013		S		10,102	D	\$ 40.4485
					4,460	(1)	

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. 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	
Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 11.88	07/29/2013		M	2,302 (2)	02/11/2009	02/11/2018	Common Stock	2,302
Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 9.502	07/29/2013		M	7,800 (3)	02/09/2010	02/09/2019	Common Stock	7,800
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0					(5)	(5)	Common Stock	0

## Reporting Owners

### Reporting Owner Name / Address

### Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Anderson Stephen  
A. O. SMITH CORPORATION  
500 TENNESSEE WALTZ PARKWAY  
ASHLAND CITY, TN 37015

Designated Section 16 Officer

## Signatures

James F. Stern, Attorney-in-Fact for Stephen Anderson

07/30/2013

\_\_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-for1, resulting in the reporting person's ownership of 2,230 additional shares of Common Stock.
- (2) The employee stock options were granted on 02/11/2008, under the A. O. Smith Combined Incentive Compensation Plan, a transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3.
- (3) The employee stock options were granted on 02/09/2009, under the A. O. Smith Combined Incentive Compensation Plan, a transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3.
- (4) On May 15, 2013, the common stock of A. O. Smith Corporation split 2-for1, resulting in the reporting person's ownership of 16,601 additional Employee Stock Options.
- (5) On May 15, 2013, the common stock of A. O. Smith Corporation split 2-for1, resulting in the reporting person's ownership of 3,200 additional Restricted Stock Units.

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