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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Broaddus J Alfred Jr

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

ALBEMARLE CORP [ALB]

(First) (Middle) (Last)

(Street)

(State)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

01/01/2009

X_ Director 10% Owner

(Check all applicable)

Officer (give title Other (specify below)

4114 HANOVER AVENUE

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

D

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

RICHMOND, VA 23221

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

Person

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

Common Stock

(City)

3,225

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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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. N	umber	6. Date Exer	cisable and	7. Title and A	Amount of	8. Price
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transact	nsaction of Expiration Date Un			Underlying S	Underlying Securities		
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Deri	vative	(Month/Day	/Year)	(Instr. 3 and	4)	Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)) Seci	rities					(Instr. 5)
	Derivative				Acq	aired					
	Security				(A)	or					
					Disp	osed					
					of (I))					
					(Ins	r. 3, 4,					
					and	5)					
				Code V	/ (A	(D)	Date	Expiration	Title	Amount	
				Couc	(11,	(D)	Exercisable	*	11110	or	
							Exercisable	Bute		Number	
										of	
										Shares	
										2	
Phantom	(5)	01/01/2009		٨	563	3	(4)	(3)	Common	562	¢ 22.1
Stock	<u>(5)</u>	01/01/2009		Α	(1)		(4)	(3)	Stock	563	\$ 22.3

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
r	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Broaddus J Alfred Jr 4114 HANOVER AVENUE RICHMOND, VA 23221	X						

Signatures

Nicole C. Daniel, Attorney-in-Fact 01/05/2009

**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) Shares represent deferred director compensation, pursuant to Non-Employee Director Stock Plan.
- (2) Includes dividend equivalent rights based on shares of phantom stock in director's deferred stock account.
- (3) No expiration date.
- (4) Excercisable in lump sum installment on the February 15 the year after the calendar year in which Mr. Broaddus is no longer a director.
- (5) Phantom stock units convert 1 for 1 into common stock

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