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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

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

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

ALBEMARLE CORP [ALB]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last)

(City)

1.Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 10/01/2011

(Check all applicable)

4114 HANOVER AVENUE

(Street)

(State)

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

below) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X_ Director

Officer (give title

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

RICHMOND, VA 23221

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(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)

10% Owner

Other (specify

Reported (A) or

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

Common Stock

3,225 D

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

(Month/Day/Year)

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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 Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic 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)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
			Code V	(A) (D	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Stock	(1)	10/01/2011	A	205 (2)	<u>(3)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	205	\$ 40.4
Phantom Stock	(1)	10/01/2011	A	63 (5)	(3)	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	63	\$ 40.4

Reporting Owners

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

Signatures

/s/Karen G. Narwold, Attorney-in-Fact

10/04/2011

Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

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

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