Spiess Markus G Form 4 February 22, 2012

## FORM 4

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

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See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Spiess Markus G Issuer Symbol Koppers Holdings Inc. [KOP] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner Other (specify X\_ Officer (give title 436 SEVENTH AVENUE 02/20/2012 below) VP, Global Sales and Marketing (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

### PITTSBURGH, PA 15219

| (City)                               | (State)                                 | (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned |  |   |   |             |  |  |   |  |  |
|--------------------------------------|---|--|--|---|---|-------------|--|--|---|--|--|
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year)                            | 3.<br>Transactic<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securities A. orDisposed of (D. (Instr. 3, 4 and | ) | d (A) or    | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |  |  |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 02/20/2012                              |  | A(1)                                   | 2,008   | A | \$ 0        | 7,769.7368   | D  |   |  |  |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 02/20/2012                              |  | F(2)                                   | 1,397.3616  | D | \$<br>38.39 | 6,372.3752   | D  |   |  |  |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 02/20/2012                              |  | A(3)                                   | 2,133   | A | \$0         | 8,505.081<br>(4)   | 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)

| 1. Title of | 2.          | 3. Transaction Date | 3A. Deemed         | 4.         | 5.         | 6. Date Exerc   | cisable and | 7. Title     | e and             | 8. Price of | 9. Nu  |
|-------------|-------------|---------------------|--------------------|------------|------------|-----------------|-------------|--------------|-------------------|-------------|--------|
| Derivative  | Conversion  | (Month/Day/Year)    | Execution Date, if | Transacti  | onNumber   | Expiration Date |             | Amour        | nt of             | Derivative  | Deriv  |
| Security    | or Exercise |                     | any                | Code       | of         | (Month/Day/     | Year)       | Underl       | ying              | Security    | Secui  |
| (Instr. 3)  | Price of    |                     | (Month/Day/Year)   | (Instr. 8) | Derivative | e               |             | Securit      | ties              | (Instr. 5)  | Bene   |
|             | Derivative  |                     |                    |            | Securities |                 |             | (Instr.      | 3 and 4)          |             | Owne   |
|             | Security    |                     |                    |            | Acquired   |                 |             |              |                   |             | Follo  |
|             |             |                     |                    |            | (A) or     |                 |             |              |                   |             | Repo   |
|             |             |                     |                    |            | Disposed   |                 |             |              |                   |             | Trans  |
|             |             |                     |                    |            | of (D)     |                 |             |              |                   |             | (Instr |
|             |             |                     |                    |            | (Instr. 3, |                 |             |              |                   |             |        |
|             |             |                     |                    |            | 4, and 5)  |                 |             |              |                   |             |        |
|             |             |                     |                    |            |            |                 |             |              | Amount            |             |        |
|             |             |                     |                    |            |            |                 |             |              | Amount            |             |        |
|             |             |                     |                    |            |            | Date            | Expiration  |              | or<br>Name la sur |             |        |
|             |             |                     |                    |            |            | Exercisable     | Date        | Title Number |                   |             |        |
|             |             |                     |                    | C 1 W      | (A) (D)    |                 |             |              | of                |             |        |
|             |             |                     |                    | Code V     | (A) (D)    |                 |             |              | Shares            |             |        |

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Spiess Markus G 436 SEVENTH AVENUE PITTSBURGH, PA 15219

VP, Global Sales and Marketing

### **Signatures**

/s/ Steven R. Lacy, Attorney-in-Fact 02/22/2012

\*\*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) Represents previously granted performance share units and related dividend equivalent units for which the performance criteria for the three-year performance period of 2009 through 2011 has been satisfied.
- (2) Shares surrendered to the issuer by the reporting person as payment for tax withholding related to the vesting of time-based and performance-based restricted stock units and related dividend equivalent units.
- (3) Represents previously granted performance share units for which the performance criteria for the two-year performance period of 2010 through 2011 has been satisfied. Vesting of these performance share units is subject to an additional one-year service requirement.
- (4) Reflects adjustment of fractional shares in accordance with issuer's Amended and Restated 2005 Long Term Incentive Plan.

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