MCNAMARA KEVIN J

Form 4

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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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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MCNAMARA KEVIN J			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CHEMED CORP [CHE]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an applicable)		
			(Month/Day/Year)	X Director 10% Owner		
2600 CHEMED CENTER, 255 EAST 5TH STREET			08/06/2012	_X_ Officer (give title Other (spec below) below) president and CEO		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
CINCINNATI, OH 45202			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Ta	able I - Noi	n-Derivativ	ve Sec	urities Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y 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. Securition Dispose (Instr. 3, 4)	ed of (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)
capital stock	08/06/2012		S	10,000	D	\$ 61.5642	191,131	D	
capital stock	08/07/2012		M	25,000	A	\$ 33.75	216,131	D	
capital stock	08/07/2012		F(1)	18,237	D	\$ 61.42	197,894	D	

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	ve Expiration Date es (Month/Day/Year) d (A) osed of		7. Title and Amc of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Sha
stock option(right to buy with tandem tax withholding)	\$ 33.75	08/07/2012		M	25,000	05/19/2009(2)	05/19/2018	capital stock	25,0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
MCNAMARA KEVIN J							
2600 CHEMED CENTER	X		president				
255 EAST 5TH STREET	Λ		and CEO				
CINCINNATI, OH 45202							

Signatures

Kevin J.

McNamara 08/07/2012

**Signature of Date 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) Payment of purchase price and tax obligation on stock option exercise.
- (2) exercisable in three equal annual installments commencing 5/19/2009.

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