WESTLAKE CHEMICAL CORP

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Chao Albert Issuer Symbol WESTLAKE CHEMICAL CORP (Check all applicable) [WLK] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction _X__ Director X__ 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title _ Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) 2801 POST OAK BLVD., SUITE 03/20/2006 President and CEO 600 (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 HOUSTON, TX 77056 Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tal	ble I - Non	-Derivativ	e Secu	rities A	cquired, Dispose	ed of, or Bene	eficially 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. Securit on(A) or Di (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	of (D)	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)
Common Stock	03/20/2006(1)		A	5,794	A	\$ 0	15,276	D	
Common Stock	08/16/2004		P	20,000	A	\$ 14.5	20,000	I (2)	By Mother (2)
Common Stock	03/20/2006(1)		A	4,249	A	\$0	30,789	I (3)	By Brother-James Chao (3)

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number one 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Option (right to buy)	\$ 36.1	03/20/2006(1)		A	9,514 (<u>4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	03/15/2016	Common Stock	9,514
Employee Option (right to buy)	\$ 36.1	03/20/2006(1)		A	6,977 (<u>4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	03/15/2016	Common Stock	6,977

Reporting Owners

6 Owner Of	fficer	Other
X P	President and CEO	
	X I	X President and CEO

Signatures

Albert Chao by Andrew
Ralston

**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) The issuer approved the grant effective as of March 15, 2006. The reporting person was notified of the grant on March 20, 2006.
- (2) Even though reporting person and reporting person?s mother share a household, reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of such securities for

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purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

- Even though reporting person and reporting person?s brother, James Chao, share a household, reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- (4) These options become exercisable in four equal installments on March 15, 2007, 2008, 2009 and 2010.

Remarks:

51,505,277 shares are held indirectly through TTWF LP, a Delaware limited partnership. Two trusts for the benefit of member

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