

NORTON PIERCE
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
NORTON PIERCE

(Last) (First) (Middle)

100 W. FIFTH STREET

(Street)

TULSA, OK 74103

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
ONEOK INC /NEW/ [OKE]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
01/15/2012

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
X Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
COO - ONEOK, Inc.

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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

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. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	(A) or (D)	5. Amount or Price	6. Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01	01/15/2012		D	2,631	D	\$ 87.98	20,603	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01	01/15/2012		A	32,800	A	\$ 87.98	53,403	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01	01/15/2012		D	13,678	D	\$ 87.98	39,725	D

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) Performance units awarded under the Issuer's Equity Compensation Plan. The award vested on January 15, 2012, for 200% of the performance units awarded based upon the Issuer's total stockholder return compared to total stockholder return of a selected peer group. Performance units were payable one share of the Issuer's common stock for each vested performance unit.
- (2) Restricted units awarded under the Issuer's Long Term Incentive Plan. The award vested on January 15, 2012, and was payable one share of the Issuer's common stock for each vested restricted unit.

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