

Desdin Miguel A.
Form 4
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FORM 4

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

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Desdin Miguel A.

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O CELANESE
CORPORATION, 1601 W. LBJ
FREEWAY

(Street)

DALLAS, X1 75234

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
Celanese CORP [CE]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
02/05/2008

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 ____ Other (specify
below) below)
VP and Controller

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)	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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Series A Common Stock	02/05/2008		M		5,000	A	\$ 21.02
Series A Common Stock	02/05/2008		S		5,000	D	\$ 41 0

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. Transaction 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)	Amount or Number of Shares
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Non-qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 21.02	02/05/2008		M	5,000	<u>(1)</u>	05/16/2016	Series A Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Desdin Miguel A. C/O CELANESE CORPORATION 1601 W. LBJ FREEWAY DALLAS, X1 75234			VP and Controller	

Signatures

/s/Robert L. Villasenor, Attorney-in-Fact for Miguel A.
Desdin

02/07/2008

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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Granted pursuant to the Company's 2004 Stock Incentive Plan. The option shares vested with respect to 25% of the option shares on
(1) January 1, 2008 and will continue to vest, subject to continued employment, with respect to 25% of the option shares on each January 1st
of 2009, 2010, and 2011.

Remarks:

The sale transactions reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b 5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person.

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