

ELIAS RICHARD C
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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 *
ELIAS RICHARD C

(Last) (First) (Middle)

PPG INDUSTRIES, INC., ONE
PPG PLACE,

(Street)

PITTSBURGH, PA 15272

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
PPG INDUSTRIES INC [PPG]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
02/21/2012

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)

Sr. VP, Optical & SpecMatls

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

Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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
Common Stock	02/21/2012		M		14,000	A	\$ 34.09
							27,405.6142
Common Stock	02/21/2012		S		14,000	D	\$ 91.1807
							(1)
Common Stock							3,733.763
							I
							By Spouse
Common Stock							12,838.5623
							(2)
							I
							By 401(k) Plan

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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	
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Options ⁽³⁾	\$ 34.09	02/21/2012		M	14,000	02/18/2012 - 02/17/2019	Common Stock	14,000	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
ELIAS RICHARD C PPG INDUSTRIES, INC., ONE PPG PLACE, PITTSBURGH, PA 15272			Sr. VP, Optical & SpecMatls	

Signatures

Greg E. Gordon, Attorney-in-Fact for Richard C. Elias

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).

This represents the weighted average aggregate price paid for the shares. The shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$91.00 to \$91.58 per share, inclusive. The reporting person will provide, upon request of the SEC staff, PPG or a shareholder of PPG, complete information regarding the number of shares sold at each price within the range.

(2) Total amount of shares held for the reporting person in the reporting person's account in the PPG Industries Employee Savings Plan as of February 21, 2012.

(3) Right to buy granted under the PPG Industries, Inc. Omnibus Incentive Plan.

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