Celanese CORP Form 4 July 30, 2007

FORM 4

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

1. Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Sterin Steven

> (Middle) (First)

C/O CELANESE

CORPORATION, 1601 W. LBJ **FREEWAY**

(Street)

DALLAS, TX 75234

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

Celanese CORP [CE]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 07/25/2007

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(I)

(Instr. 4)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

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6. Ownership

Form: Direct

10% Owner

Other (specify

7. Nature of

Ownership (Instr. 4)

Indirect

(D) or Indirect Beneficial

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5. Amount of

Securities

Owned

Beneficially

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

Issuer

below)

Director

X_ Officer (give title

(State) (Zip) (City)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

3. 4. Securities (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or

> Code (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)

Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Following Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

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

Conversion

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed

5. Number of (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionDerivative

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date**

7. Title and Amoun Underlying Securiti

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(Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Sha
Non-qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 40.13	07/25/2007		A	50,000	<u>(1)</u>	07/25/2017	Series A Common Stock	50,0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Sterin Steven C/O CELANESE CORPORATION 1601 W. LBJ FREEWAY DALLAS, TX 75234

SVP and CFO

Signatures

/s/Kevin J. Rogan, Attorney-in-Fact for Steven M. Sterin

07/30/2007

**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).
- Granted pursuant to the Company's 2004 Stock Incentive Plan. The option shares will vest, subject to Mr. Sterin's employment with (1) Celanese Corporation, with respect to 25% of the grant on January 1, 2009 and 25% on each January 1, 2010, January 1, 2011, and January 1, 2012

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