## Edgar Filing: Celanese Corp - Form 4

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| Form 4<br>March 07, 201  | 7                                       |                |   |  |   |                      |   |  |  |   |  |
|  |   |                |   |  |   |                      |   |  | OMB A  | PPROVAL   |  |
| FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549   |   |                |   |  |   |                      |   | N OMB<br>Number:   | 3235-0287  |   |  |
| Check this box<br>if no longer<br>subject to<br>Section 16.<br>Form 4 or   |   |                |   | SECU                                   | <b>IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF</b><br><b>URITIES</b><br>f the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, |                      |   |  | Estimated<br>burden ho<br>response                                   | Expires: January 31,<br>2005<br>Estimated average<br>burden hours per<br>response 0.5 |  |
| obligations<br>may contin<br><i>See</i> Instruct<br>1(b).  | ue. Section 17(                         | a) of the I    | Public U  |  | lding Co  | mpany                | / Act   | of 1935 or Secti   |  |   |  |
| (Print or Type Res   | sponses)                                |                |   |  |   |                      |   |  |  |   |  |
| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u><br>Brown William M  |   |                | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading<br>Symbol<br>Celanese Corp [CE] |  |   |                      | ıg  | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer   |  |   |  |
| (Last)   | (First) (                               | Middle)        |   | • -                                    | _   |                      |   | (Check all applicable)   |  |   |  |
| (Last) (First) (Middle)<br>C/O CELANESE<br>CORPORATION, 222 W LAS<br>COLINAS BLVD, SUITE 900N  |   |                | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction<br>(Month/Day/Year)<br>03/03/2017           |  |   |                      |   | X_ Director 10% Owner<br>Officer (give title Other (specify<br>below) below)                   |  |   |  |
| (Street)<br>IRVING, TX 75039   |   |                | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)                        |  |   |                      | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check<br>Applicable Line)<br>_X_Form filed by One Reporting Person<br>Form filed by More than One Reporting |  |  |   |  |
| (City)   | (State)                                 | (Zip)          |   |  |   |                      |   | Person   |  |   |  |
|  |   | -              |   |  |   |                      | ities A   | cquired, Disposed  |  | •   |  |
|  | Transaction Date<br>Ionth/Day/Year)     | Execution any  | Date, if  | 3.<br>Transactic<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securi<br>onAcquirec<br>Disposec<br>(Instr. 3,   | l (A) or<br>l of (D) |   | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s) | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or Indirect<br>(I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4)                     |  |
|  |   |                |   | Code V                                 | Amount  |                      | Price   | (Instr. 3 and 4)   |  |   |  |
| Reminder: Repor  | t on a separate line                    | e for each cla | ass of sec  | urities bene                           | Pers  | ons wh               | no res  | or indirectly.<br>spond to the colle<br>ained in this forn                                     |  | SEC 1474<br>(9-02)  |  |
| required to respond unless the form<br>displays a currently valid OMB control<br>number.   |   |                |   |  |   |                      |   |  |  |   |  |
| Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned   (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) |   |                |   |  |   |                      |   |  |  |   |  |

1. Title of<br/>Derivative2.3. Transaction Date3A. Deemed4.5. Number6. Date Exercisable and<br/>Expiration Date7. Title and Amount of<br/>Derivative8. Price<br/>Derivative1. Title of<br/>Derivative2.3. Transaction Date4.5. Number6. Date Exercisable and<br/>Expiration Date7. Title and Amount of<br/>Derivative8. Price<br/>Derivative

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| Security<br>(Instr. 3) | or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security |            | any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | Code<br>(Instr. 8) | Securities<br>Acquired<br>(A) or<br>Disposed of<br>(D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4<br>and 5) | of                     | (Month/Day/Year)   |                             | (Instr. 3 and 4)                       |       |
|------------------------|---|------------|-------------------------|--------------------|--|------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------------|--|-------|
|                        |   |            |                         | Code V             | (A) (  | D) Date<br>Exercisable | Expiration<br>Date | Title                       | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares |       |
| Phantom<br>Stock       | <u>(1)</u>  | 03/03/2017 |                         | А                  | 2.015  | <u>(2)</u>             | (2)                | Series A<br>Common<br>Stock | 2.015                                  | \$ 89 |

## **Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Relationships |           |         |       |  |  |  |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|--|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |  |  |  |
| Brown William M<br>C/O CELANESE CORPORATION<br>222 W LAS COLINAS BLVD, SUITE 900N<br>IRVING, TX 75039 | Х             |           |         |       |  |  |  |
| Signatures  |               |           |         |       |  |  |  |
| Jacqueline R. Hall, Attorney-in-Fact for Willia<br>Brown  | m M.          | 03/       | 07/2017 |       |  |  |  |
| <b>**</b> 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) Each share of phantom stock represents the right to receive one share of Series A Common Stock.

The reported phantom stock represents dividend equivalents on compensation deferred under the Company's 2008 Deferred

(2) Compensation Plan (the "Plan"). The shares of phantom stock become payable in shares of Series A Common Stock, as provided in the Plan, following the termination of the reporting person's service as a director of the Company.

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