FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Kelly James Patrick				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CABOT CORP [CBT]									all applic	,		10%	owner (specify			
	(Fi OT CORPO APORT LA	ŕ	(Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/15/2007								X Officer (give fitte Officer (specify below) Controller						
(Street) BOSTON (City)			02210 (Zip)		_ 4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								5. 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. Transac Date (Month/Date)			Execution Date,				Disposed	ties Acquiro I Of (D) (Ins	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following			6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership						
									Code V		Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Trai	orted nsaction(tr. 3 and			(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock 05/15/			/2007	07		F		1,325	5 D \$45.7		,	21,298		D						
Common Stock												887.8717		I	tl C F	hrough the rustee of te orporation's etirement avings Plan.				
			Table II										eneficial curities		vned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution		ned 4. n Date, Transa Code (5. Nur of Deriva Secur Acqui (A) or Dispo of (D) (Instr. and 5)	mber 6 E (I ities red sed 3, 4		ercis	able and	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		of 8. Price o		9. Num derivat Securi Benefi Owned Follow Report Transa (Instr.	tive ties cially d ving ted action(s)	10. Ownersh Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr.	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)				Expiration Date	Title	Amount of Number of Shares							
Series B ESOP Convertible Preferred Stock	(1)								(2)		(2)	Common stock	5,530.65	54		37.	7833	I	Through the Trustee of the Corporation's Retirement Savings Plan.	

Explanation of Responses:

- $1. \ Each \ share \ is \ convertible \ into \ 146.3782 \ shares \ of \ the \ Corporation's \ common \ stock.$
- 2. Under the Retirement Savings Plan, the Corporation allocates Series B ESOP Convertible Preferred Stock to each participant's account on a quarterly basis. Subject to certain terms and conditions of the Retirement Savings Plan, participants may elect to receive distributions of their vested account balance in the form of shares of the Corporation's common stock or cash. Generally, a participant is 20% vested in his account after 2 years of service with the Corporation; 40% vested after 3 years of service; 60% vested after 4 years of service; and 100% vested after 5 years of service.

Remarks:

Michaela Allbee, pursuant to a power of attorney from James **Kelly**

** Signature of Reporting Person

05/17/2007

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * 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).

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