## FORM 4

obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington,	D.C.	20549
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL	<b>OWNERSHIP</b>

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  MCGILLICUDDY JOHN K					2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol  CABOT CORP [ CBT ]									Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     X Director 10% Owner						
(Last)	(Fii	rst) (	Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/09/2009									X	Officer (give title below)				(specify
TWO SEAPORT LANE				4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
(Street) BOSTON	N M.	Α (	)2210		_									X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City)	(St	ate) (	Zip)																	
		Tabl	e I - Noi	n-Deriv	ative	Se	curitie	s Acc	uired,	Dis	posed o	f, o	r Ben	eficia	ally	Owne	ed			
Date				Date	onth/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Dis		Disposed	curities Acquired (A) osed Of (D) (Instr. 3,			4 and Sec Ber Ow		Securities Beneficially		nership Direct Indirect tr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
									Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	•	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(111501.4)
Common	Stock			01/09	9/2009 A 2,500 <sup>(1)</sup> A \$0.00 3,333 I					D										
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da	Date, Transa Code (I			of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)  Amour or Numbe			Deri	ivative urity tr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code V		(A) (D)				Expiration Date	of Title Share									

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. The shares have been deferred pursuant to Cabot's Non-Employee Directors' Stock Deferral Plan.

## Remarks:

By: Karen Abrams, pursuant to 01/12/2009 a power of attorney from John K. McGillicuddy

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person 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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