FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person (Check all applicable) **CABOT CORP** [CBT] MCCANCE HENRY F Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) C/O CABOT CORPORATION 06/29/2007 TWO SEAPORT LANE 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) (Street) Form filed by One Reporting Person 02210 **BOSTON** MA Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction 2A. Deemed 7. Nature of 5. Amount of 6. Ownership Form: Direct 3. Transaction **Execution Date** Securities Indirect if any (Month/Day/Year) Code (Instr. 8) (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Beneficial Ownership (Month/Day/Year) Beneficially Owned Following Reported (Instr. 4) (A) or (D) Transaction(s) Code Amount Price (Instr. 3 and 4)

Table II - Derivative S	Securities Acquired	l, Disposed of, o	r Beneficially Owned
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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. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transa Code (8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	Form: Direct (D)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)		
Phantom Stock Units	(1)	06/29/2007		A		288.3809		08/08/1988 ⁽²⁾	08/08/1988 ⁽³⁾	Common Stock	288.3809	\$47.68	1,721.2838 ⁽⁴⁾	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 2. Immediately exercisable
- 3. The shares of phantom stock become payable upon the reporting person's termination of service as a director.
- 4. On May 11, 2007, Cabot's Board of Directors declared a dividend of \$.18 per share on Cabot common stock, payable on June 8, 2007 to all holders of record of common stock on May 25, 2007. Mr. McCance received a dividend on his phantom stock units totalling \$256.92, which was immediately reinvested in phantom stock units at a price of \$46.22 per share. As a result, 5.5586 phantom stock units were allocated to Mr. McCance on June 8, 2007.

Remarks:

Michaela Allbee, pursuant to a

power of attorney from Henry

07/03/2007

McCance

** 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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