FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Kelly James Patrick						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CABOT CORP [CBT]								(Check all applica Director		1		% Owner	
(=====)						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/03/2012								X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Vice President and Controller					
(Street) BOSTON (City))2210 Zip))	_ 4. II	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
		Tabl	e I -	Non-Deriv	ative/	Seci	uritie	s A	cquir	ed, D	isposed c	of, or E	Benefic	ially Owi	ned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transacti Date (Month/Day)				Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			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	Transacti	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock 05/03/201)12				S ⁽¹⁾		200	D	\$44.97	7 29,	326	Г)			
Common Stock												13,11	13,115.22(2)		I	Through the Trustees for the Corporation's Retirement Savings Plan			
		Та	ble I	I - Derivat (e.g., p							posed of, convertib				d				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	Date Ex (Month/Day/Year) if a	Executif any	Deemed 4. ecution Date, T		action (Instr.	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Da		cisable and Date	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		10. Owners Form: Direct (or Indir (I) (Insti	Beneficial Ownership ect (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exer	cisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	1					

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on March 20, 2012.
- 2. Reflects retirement plan contributions by the Corporation, including contributions that have occurred since the date of the reporting person's last ownership report.

Remarks:

By: Karen Abrams, pursuant to a power of attorney from James 05/07/2012 P. Kelly

** 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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