FORM 4

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

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  CORDEIRO EDUARDO E					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CABOT CORP [ CBT ]							Relationship on neck all applic Directo	able) r	g Pers	10% Ow	ner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O CABOT CORPORATION TWO SEAPORT LANE, SUITE 1300					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/09/2016							helow)			Other (spelow)  ident, CFC	·	
(Street) BOSTON MA 02210				4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						6. I	e) X Form fi Form fi					
		Ta	ble I - Non-D	Derivati	ve Se	curities	s Acc	quired, D	ispo	osed o	f, or Be	neficial	y Owned				
Date				Transactio ate Ionth/Day/	Execution Da		Date,	Code (Instr				ed (A) or tr. 3, 4 and	Beneficia Owned F	es   I ially Following (	Form:	Direct Indirect Estr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
								Code	' A	Amount	(A) o	Price		orted saction(s) r. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)
Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																	
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/Yea	ate, Transaction Code (Instr.				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)		Date Exercisable		oiration e	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)			
Phantom Stock	(1)	12/09/2016		A		93.0728		(2)		(2)	Common Stock	93.0728	\$53.72	16,759.3	227	D	

#### Explanation of Responses:

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## Remarks:

By: Kristine L. Ouimet,
pursuant to a power of attorney 12/13/2016
from Eduardo E. Cordeiro

\*\* 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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<sup>2.</sup> Represents dividends paid on phantom stock units acquired under the Corporation's Supplemental 401(k) Plan and to be settled upon the reporting person's retirement or other termination of employment.