

# CELANESE CORP Reported by BROWN WILLIAM M

## FORM 4

(Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership)

### Filed 07/23/20 for the Period Ending 07/22/20

Address	222 W. LAS COLINAS BLVD., SUITE 900N
	IRVING, TX, 75039-5421
Telephone	972-443-4000
CIK	0001306830
Symbol	CE
SIC Code	2820 - Plastic Material, Synthetic Resin/Rubber, Cellulos (No Glass)
Industry	Commodity Chemicals
Sector	Basic Materials
Fiscal Year	12/31

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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 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			
	(Check all applicable)			
Celanese Corp [ CE ]				
3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY)	X_Director10% Owner			
	Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)			
7/22/2020				
4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (MM/DD/YYYY)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)			
	X _ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
	Celanese Corp [ CE ] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY) 7/22/2020			

#### Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security	2. Trans. Date		3. Trans. Coo						6.	7. Nature
(Instr. 3)		Execution Date, if any	(Instr. 8)		or Dispos (Instr. 3, 4			Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	Ownership Form:	Beneficial
									Direct (D)	Ownership
									or Indirect	(Instr. 4)
						(A) or			(I) (Instr.	
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price		4)	

#### Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

Phantom Stock	<u>(1)</u>	7/22/2020	Α		70.06 <u>(2)</u>		<u>(3)</u>	<u>(3)</u>	Common Stock	70.06	\$93.67	7295.547	D	
	Derivative Security		Code	v	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5 (A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Direct (D) or Indirect	(Instr. 4)
(Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of	3. Trans. Date	 4. Trans. Code (Instr. 8)		Derivative Securities Expire Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)		1		Securities Underlying Derivative Security		Derivative Security	Securities Beneficially	Ownership Form of Derivative	Beneficial Ownership

#### **Explanation of Responses:**

- (1) Each share of phantom stock represents the right to receive the cash value of one share of Common Stock.
- (2) The reported phantom stock represents a portion of the person's quarterly cash retainer for service as a director which has been deferred under the Company's 2008 Deferred Compensation Plan (the "Plan").
- (3) As provided in the Plan, the reporting person may transfer a portion of the phantom stock account into an alternative investment account at any time, and on the earlier of the date previously elected by the reporting person to receive a payment or the termination of the reporting person's service as a director of the Company, the shares of phantom stock become payable in either cash or shares of Common Stock.

#### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships						
Reporting Owner Ivanie / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Brown William M C/O CELANESE CORPORATION 222 W LAS COLINAS BLVD, SUITE 900N IRVING, TX 75039	X							

#### Signatures

Adam R. Santosuosso, Attorney-in-Fact for William M. Brown	
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7/23/2020 Date

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

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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