FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington,	D.C.	20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Keohane Sean D</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CABOT CORP [CBT]										5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify							
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O CABOT CORPORATION TWO SEAPORT LANE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/17/2010											X Officer (give title Offier (specify below) Vice President						
(Street) BOSTON MA 02210 (City) (State) (Zip)				0	- 4.	If Amen	dment	, Date	of O	riginal	File	d (Month/D	r)	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	e Sec	uritie	s Ac	cqui	ired,	Dis	sposed	of, or	Benefic	cial	lly Owne	ed						
			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Ye	ear) i	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)				ansaction ode (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5			5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Owner (1)				
							C	ode	v	An		(A) or (D)	Price	Transactio (Instr. 3 an					(Instr. 4)				
Common	Stock			08/17/201	.0				S		1	18,676	D	D \$29.31		5,900		D					
Common Stock																6,902.98	895 ⁽²⁾ I		[Through the Trustees for the Corporation's Retirement Savings Plan			
		Та	ble	II - Derivat (e.g., p								osed of, converti				Owned							
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Exe	Deemed cution Date, ry nth/Day/Year)		action (Instr.	5. Nu of Deriv Secu (A) o Dispo of (D) (Instr and 5	rities ired r osed) : 3, 4	6. Date Exercisable Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			tte 'ear)	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. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		

1. The price reported is a weighted average sale price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$29.12 to \$29.48, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, the Corporation or any security holder of the Corporation, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.

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 08/19/2010 a power of attorney from Sean D. Keohane

** 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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