

Alexander J Rich
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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, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Alexander J Rich

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 PPG INDUSTRIES, INC., ONE
 PPG PLACE
 (Street)

PITTSBURGH, PA 15272

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 PPG INDUSTRIES INC [PPG]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 04/26/2011

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 Exec. VP, Perform. Coatings

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 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 Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|
| | | | Code | V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price |
| Common Stock | 04/26/2011 | | M | | 4,162 | A | \$ 77.33 |
| Common Stock | 04/26/2011 | | M | | 4,234 | A | \$ 77.33 |
| Common Stock | 04/26/2011 | | M | | 223 | A | \$ 77.33 |
| Common Stock | 04/26/2011 | | M | | 1,276 | A | \$ 77.33 |
| Common Stock | 04/26/2011 | | S | | 9,895 | D | \$ 93.7787 |
| | | | | | | | (1) |

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Common Stock 7,381.4341 (2) I By 401(k) plan

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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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/Year) | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | Amount or Number of Shares | |
|--------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|--|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | |
| Employee Stock Options (3) | \$ 77.33 | 04/26/2011 | | M | 4,162 | 04/25/2011 02/19/2012 | Common Stock | 4,162 | |
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| Employee Stock Options (3) | \$ 77.33 | 04/26/2011 | | M | 1,276 | 04/25/2011 02/19/2012 | Common Stock | 1,276 | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| | Director 10% Owner Officer Other |
| Alexander J Rich PPG INDUSTRIES, INC., ONE PPG PLACE PITTSBURGH, PA 15272 | Exec. VP, Perform. Coatings |

Signatures

Greg E. Gordon, Attorney-in-Fact for J. Rich
Alexander

04/28/2011

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* 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).

This represents the weighted average aggregate price paid for the shares. The shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging

- (1) from \$93.58 to \$93.94 per share, inclusive. The reporting person will provide, upon request of the SEC staff, PPG or a shareholder of PPG, complete information regarding the number of shares sold at each price within the range.
- (2) Total amount of shares held for the reporting person in the reporting person's account in the PPG Industries Employee Savings Plan as of April 26, 2011.
- (3) Right to buy granted under the PPG Industries, Inc. Stock Plan.

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