

Menezes Eduardo F  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 Menezes Eduardo F

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O LINDE PLC, THE PRIESTLEY CENTRE, 10 PRIESTLEY ROAD

(Street)

GUILDFORD, SURREY, X0 GU2 7XY

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 PRAXAIR INC [PX]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 11/16/2018

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 \_\_\_X\_\_\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)

Head of Americas Gases Group

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 \_\_\_X\_\_\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 \_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|--|
|                                 |                                      |  | Code                           | V Amount (D) Price  |   |  |  |
| Ordinary Shares                 |                                      |  |                                |   | 3,578.8626  | I  | 401(k)                                     |
| Ordinary Shares                 | 11/16/2018                           |  | F                              | 424.3 (1) D \$ 165.47   | 59,449.692  | D  |  |

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) | 8. Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
|  |  |                                      |  | Code V (A) (D)                 |   | Date Exercisable Expiration Date                         | Title   |                               |
| Restricted Stock Units                     | \$ 0 <sup>(2)</sup>                                    |                                      |  |                                |   | <u>(2)</u> <u>(2)</u>                                    | Ordinary Shares   | 7,375                         |
| Restricted Stock Units                     | \$ 0 <sup>(3)</sup>                                    |                                      |  |                                |   | <u>(3)</u> <u>(3)</u>                                    | Ordinary Shares   | 6,330                         |
| Restricted Stock Units                     | \$ 0 <sup>(4)</sup>                                    |                                      |  |                                |   | <u>(4)</u> <u>(4)</u>                                    | Ordinary Shares   | 7,808                         |
| Restricted Stock Units                     | \$ 0 <sup>(3)</sup>                                    |                                      |  |                                |   | <u>(3)</u> <u>(3)</u>                                    | Ordinary Shares   | 6,464                         |
| Restricted Stock Units                     | \$ 0 <sup>(4)</sup>                                    |                                      |  |                                |   | <u>(4)</u> <u>(4)</u>                                    | Ordinary Shares   | 5,340                         |
| Stock Option (right to buy)                | \$ 109.68  |                                      |  |                                |   | 02/28/2013 <sup>(5)</sup> 02/28/2022                     | Common Stock  | 43,005                        |
| Stock Option (right to buy)                | \$ 110.58  |                                      |  |                                |   | 02/26/2014 <sup>(5)</sup> 02/26/2023                     | Common Stock  | 35,220                        |
| Stock Option (right to buy)                | \$ 128.8   |                                      |  |                                |   | 02/25/2015 <sup>(5)</sup> 02/25/2024                     | Common Stock  | 37,305                        |
| Stock Option (right to buy)                | \$ 128.38  |                                      |  |                                |   | 02/24/2016 <sup>(5)</sup> 02/24/2025                     | Common Stock  | 47,375                        |

