

AIR PRODUCTS & CHEMICALS INC /DE/  
 Form 4  
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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 \*  
**JONES JOHN P III**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**AIR PRODUCTS & CHEMICALS INC /DE/ [APD]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
**7201 HAMILTON BOULEVARD**  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**08/15/2006**

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
**Chairman, President and CEO**

**ALLENTOWN, PA 18195**

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

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	08/15/2006		M		10,000	A	\$ 29.06
Common Stock	08/15/2006		F <sup>(1)</sup>		4,452	D	\$ 65.29
Common Stock	08/15/2006		J		1,198.207 (2) (3)	A	\$ 0 193,863.878
Common Stock	08/15/2006		F <sup>(4)</sup>		1,698	D	\$ 65.29 192,165.878
Common Stock	08/15/2006		J		345.762 (3)	A	\$ 0 6,165.512

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- (5) Shares represented by units of interest in the Company Stock Fund held under the issuer's Retirement Savings Plan.
- (6) These Rights were cancelled upon the exercise of the Options described herein.
- (7) Employee Stock Options (Options) granted under the issuer's Long-Term Incentive Plan (LTIP). Exercise of these Options cancels the related Rights described herein on a one-for-one basis.
- (8) One-third became exercisable 10/1/97; one-third became exercisable 10/1/98; and one-third became exercisable 10/1/99.

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