SHERWIN WILLIAMS CO

Form 4

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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(Middle)

(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

(City)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * KROPF SUSAN J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(First)

SHERWIN WILLIAMS CO [SHW] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

(Street)

(State)

(Month/Day/Year)

01/31/2011

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X_ Director Officer (give title below)

10% Owner Other (specify

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4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

CLEVELAND, OH 44115

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-I	Derivative	Secui	rities Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi or(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	01/31/2011		Code V M	Amount 3,500		Price \$ 27.325	(Instr. 3 and 4) 13,959 (1)	D	
Common Stock	01/31/2011		M	3,500	A	\$ 31.2	17,459 <u>(1)</u>	D	
Common Stock	01/31/2011		S	7,000	D	\$ 84.64 (2)	10,459 (1)	D	

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$\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$

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. 5. Number Transaction Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) 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)		
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 27.325	01/31/2011		M		1,166	02/05/2004	02/04/2013	Common Stock	1,166
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 27.325	01/31/2011		M		1,167	02/05/2005	02/04/2013	Common Stock	1,167
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 27.325	01/31/2011		M		1,167	02/05/2006	02/04/2013	Common Stock	1,167
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 31.2	01/31/2011		M		1,166	10/24/2004	10/23/2013	Common Stock	1,166
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 31.2	01/31/2011		M		1,167	10/24/2005	10/23/2013	Common Stock	1,167
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 31.2	01/31/2011		M		1,167	10/24/2006	10/23/2013	Common Stock	1,167

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
KROPF SUSAN J	X						
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Signatures

Louis E. Stellato, Attorney-in-fact

02/01/2011

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- * 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).
- (1) Of shares listed, 2,990 are restricted.
 - The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$84.58 to \$84.68 inclusive. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide to The Sherwin-Williams Company, any security holder of The
- Sherwin-Williams Company, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote to this Form 4.

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