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# FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** 

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Slifstein Barry Issuer Symbol RPM INTERNATIONAL INC/DE/ (Check all applicable) [RPM] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner \_X\_\_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) 2628 PEARL ROAD, P.O. BOX 777 07/19/2010 Vice President and Controller (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

MEDINA, OH 44258

Form filed by More than One Reporting

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	(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	I - Non-De	erivative S	ecuri	ties Acc	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned		
	1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)  (A) or		)	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)			
	C			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)				
	Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	07/19/2010		A(1)	2,163	A	\$ 0	17,281	D			
	Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	07/19/2010		A(2)	5,000	A	\$ 0	22,281 (3)	D			
	Common Stock, \$0.01 par value							1,485 <u>(4)</u>	I	By 401(k) Plan		

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Pri Deriv Secur (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	<u>(5)</u>					<u>(6)</u>	<u>(6)</u>	Common Stock	5,000	
Stock Appreciation Rights	<u>(5)</u>					<u>(7)</u>	<u>(7)</u>	Common Stock	5,000	

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Slifstein Barry 2628 PEARL ROAD P.O. BOX 777 MEDINA, OH 44258

Vice President and Controller

## **Signatures**

/s/ Barry Slifstein, by Gregory S. Harvey, his attorney-in-fact pursuant to Power of Attorney dated October 9, 2008 on file with the Commission

07/21/2010

Date

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

### **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).

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- (1) The reporting person was granted 2,163 shares of Common Stock, issued pursuant to the 2007 RPM International Inc. Restricted Stock Plan.
- (2) The reporting person was granted 5,000 shares of Common Stock, issued as Performance Earned Restricted Stock, pursuant to the RPM International Inc. 2004 Omnibus Equity and Incentive Plan.
- Includes an aggregate of 6,619 shares of Common Stock issued pursuant to the 2007 RPM International Inc. Restricted Stock Plan and 11,000 shares of Common Stock, issued as Performance Earned Restricted Stock, pursuant to the RPM International Inc. 2004 Omnibus Equity and Incentive Plan.
- (4) Approximate number of shares held as of July 19, 2010 in the account of reporting person by Wachovia Bank, N.A., as Trustee of the RPM International Inc. 401(k) Trust and Plan, as amended.
- (5) No transaction is being reported on this line. Reported on a previously filed Form 3 or Form 4.
- Granted pursuant to the RPM International Inc. 1996 Key Employees Stock Option Plan, as amended in an exempt transaction under Rule (6) 16b-3. These options vest and become exercisable in 25% increments over four years commencing one year after the date of grant. These options in 2004 and expire 10 years from the date of grant.
- Stock Appreciation Rights granted pursuant to the RPM International Inc. 2004 Omnibus Equity and Incentive Plan in an exempt (7) transaction under Rule 16b-3. These Stock Appreciation Rights vest in four equal installments commencing one year after the date of grant. These Stock Appreciation Rights were granted in 2005 and expire 10 years from the date of grant.

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