FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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(Last) (First) (			(Middle)	-[	[									Officer (g	jive title		Other (sp below)	ecify
7201 HAMILTON BOULEVARD					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2005													
(Street) ALLENT		A State)	18195 (Zip)	_	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)  6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check A X Form filed by One Reporting Pers Form filed by More than One Rep										ing Person			
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																	
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									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				nstr. 4)
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)			e and	7. Title and Amount Securities Underlyi Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)			9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)		Date Exerc	cisable	Exp Date	oiration e	Title	Amount o Number o Shares		(Instr. 4)			
Phantom Stock <sup>(1)</sup>	(2)	12/31/2005		A		311.6641		08/08	3/1988 <sup>(3)</sup>	08/0	08/1988 <sup>(3)</sup>	Common Stock	311.664	1 \$60.06	10,364	.7525	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Phantom deferred stock units (Units) acquired under the Air Products Stock Account of the issuer's Deferred Compensation Program for Directors, of the Company's Long-Term Incentive Plan (the Plan). Under the Plan, all non-employee directors are credited with Units for the portion of their Board retainer required to be received in this form and they are permitted to defer receiving payment of all or a portion of the remainder of their Board and Committee retainers and meeting fees.
- 2. Not applicable to this security.
- 3. These units are generally payable in the form of shares of Common Stock equal in number to the units, after the reporting person's service on the issuer's Board of Directors ends, in a lump sum or up to ten installments as elected by the reporting person in advance.

By: Linda M. Svoboda as **Attorney** in Fact \*\* Signature of Reporting Person

01/03/2006

Date

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

- \* 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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