FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  FAIRBAIRN URSULA F						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AIR PRODUCTS & CHEMICALS INC /DE/ [ APD ]										all applica	able)	g Pers	on(s) to Issi 10% Ov Other (s	vner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 7201 HAMILTON BOULEVARD						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2007										below) ``			below)`		
(Street) ALLENTOWN PA 18195					4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Lin		′					
(City)	(City) (State) (Zip)  Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Tr Date (Mor				Deriva	//Day/Y	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		ear)	red, Di	v spc	Amount  Osed of, (	of, or Beneficia			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversior or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution D if any (Month/Day/	ate,	puts, cal		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		ts, options, c  6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title an Amount o Securities Underlyin Derivative (Instr. 3 an	d f Security	Di Si	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti (Instr. 4)	e s ally g	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Cod	Code	· v	(A)	(D)	Date Exe	e rcisable	Ex Da	piration te	Title	Amount or Number of Shares							
Phantom Stock <sup>(1)</sup>	(2)	12/31/2007			A		82.11		08/0	)8/1988 <sup>(3)</sup>	08	/08/1988 <sup>(3)</sup>	Common Stock	82.11	1	\$101.78	22,073.	49	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

01/02/2008

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- $^{\star}$  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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