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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement Chemtura CORP [CEM] Flaherty Billie S. (Month/Day/Year) 01/19/2009 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 199 BENSON ROAD (Check all applicable) (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) 10% Owner Director _X_ Form filed by One Reporting _X__ Officer Other Person MIDDLEBURY, CTÂ US (give title below) (specify below) Form filed by More than One SVP, GC and Secretary 06749 Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 2. Amount of Securities 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) D Â Common Stock $16,000 \frac{(3)}{}$

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

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 $Table\ II\ -\ Derivative\ Securities\ Beneficially\ Owned\ (\textit{e.g.},\ puts,\ calls,\ warrants,\ options,\ convertible\ securities)$

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	erivative 2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security		4. Conversion or Exercise	5. Ownership Form of	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			(Instr. 4)		Price of	Derivative	(Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	

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				Shares		(I) (Instr. 5)	
NQ Stock Options (Right to Buy)	03/06/2006	04/05/2016	Common Stock	8,500	\$ 10.75	D	Â
NQ Stock Options (Right to Buy)	02/16/2007(1)	02/16/2017	Common Stock	13,300	\$ 12.06	D	Â
NQ Stock Options (Right to Buy)	02/28/2008(2)	02/28/2018	Common Stock	35,000	\$ 8.71	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
toporting of the remaining remaining	Director 10% Owner Officer		Officer	Other		
Flaherty Billie S. 199 BENSON ROAD MIDDLEBURY, CT US 06749	Â	Â	SVP, GC and Secretary	Â		

Signatures

Billie S. Flaherty 01/29/2009

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) On 2/16/2009 3,325 options become exercisable, on 2/16/2010 3,325 options become exercisable, and on 2/16/2011 3,325 options become exercisable.
- On 2/28/2009 8,750 options become exercisable, on 2/28/2010 8,750 options become exercisable, on 2/28/2011 8,750 options become exercisable, and on 2/28/2012 8,750 options become exercisable.
 - Included in this amount are the following amounts: 2,800 shares attributable to Restricted Stock Account 2006-2008 LTIP granted 3/6/2006, 1,500 time-based shares attributable to Restricted Stock Account 2006 LTIP granted 2/16/2007, 11,700 shares attributable to Restricted Stock Account 2008-2010 LTIP granted 2/28/2008. Certain amounts attributable to the foregoing Restricted Stock Accounts
- (3) are subject to vesting requirements and thus may not be distributed. Certain amounts attributable to Restricted Stock Account 2006-2008 LTIP have been included, even though they may have been reportable on Table II. In order to provide consistency in reporting, the Reporting Person is voluntarily reporting the entire amount of the grant on Table I even though the Reporting Person may be required to report on Table I only those amounts which have vested pursuant to the terms of the grant.

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