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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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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 SHERWIN WILLIAMS CO [SHW] A Davisson Robert J (Month/Day/Year) 11/15/2010 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 101 WEST PROSPECT (Check all applicable) **AVENUE** (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group 10% Owner Director _X__ Officer Other Filing(Check Applicable Line) (give title below) (specify below) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting President, Paint Stores Group Person CLEVELAND, OHÂ 44115 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) Â Common Stock 19,350 (1) D Common Stock $6,917.35 \frac{(2)}{}$ I Stock Plan Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	10/19/2008	10/18/2017	Common Stock	4,000	\$ 63.44	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	10/19/2009	10/18/2017	Common Stock	4,000	\$ 63.44	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	10/19/2010	10/18/2017	Common Stock	4,000	\$ 63.44	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	10/14/2011	10/13/2018	Common Stock	5,000	\$ 54.09	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	10/15/2010	10/14/2019	Common Stock	2,000	\$ 63.25	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	10/15/2011	10/14/2019	Common Stock	5,000	\$ 63.25	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	10/15/2012	10/14/2019	Common Stock	5,000	\$ 63.25	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	10/19/2011	10/18/2020	Common Stock	4,000	\$ 72.62	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	10/19/2012	10/18/2020	Common Stock	4,000	\$ 72.62	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	10/19/2013	10/18/2020	Common Stock	4,000	\$ 72.62	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
reporting owner runte / runtess	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Davisson Robert J 101 WEST PROSPECT AVENUE CLEVELAND, OH 44115	Â	Â	President, Paint Stores Group	Â	

Signatures

Louis E. Stellato, Attorney-in-fact

**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) Shares listed are restricted.

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Reporting Owners 2

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Represents the approximate number of shares of common stock for which the Reporting Person has the right to direct the vote under The Sherwin-Williams Company Employee Stock Purchase and Savings Plan per the trustee's 9/30/10 statement. Shares of common stock are not directly allocated to the Plan participants, but are instead held in a unitized fund consisting primarily of common stock and a small percentage of short-term investments. Participants acquire units of this fund.

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Remarks:

Exhibit 24, Power of Attorney, is attached.

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