#### STELLATO LOUIS E

Form 4

December 15, 2005

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

34,275.8002

32,475.8002

30,475.8002

(1)

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obligations

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue.

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

Common

Common

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Stock

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

STELLATO LOUIS E

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

12/14/2005

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See Instruction

SILLLIIIC		Symbol							
			SHERV	VIN WIL	LIAMS CO [SHW]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of	f Earliest T	ransaction				
			(Month/D	Day/Year)		Director	10%	Owner	
(Street)  CLEVELAND, OH 44115  (City) (State) (Zip)  1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. In Security (Month/Day/Year) Executive Executive (Month/Day/Year)		E, N.W.	12/14/2005			_X_ Officer (give title Other (specify			
						below)	below)	Coore	
						VP, Gener	al Counsel and	Secy	
		4. If Ame	endment, Da	ate Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check				
			Filed(Mor	nth/Day/Year	r)	Applicable Line)			
						_X_ Form filed by C			
CLEVELA					Form filed by More than One Reporting				
	,					Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	le I - Non-I	Derivative Securities Acq	uired. Disposed of	. or Beneficial	ly Owned	
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				3.	4. Securities Acquired	5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of	
Security	(Month/Day/Yea	r) Executio	n Date, if	Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D)		Securities	Ownership	Indirect	
(Instr. 3)		any		Code	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Beneficially	Form: Direct	Beneficial	
		(Month/I	Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)		Owned	(D) or	Ownership	
						Following	Indirect (I)	(Instr. 4)	
					(A)	Reported	(Instr. 4)		

(A)

(D)

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Price

44.08

44.09

\$

S D 12/14/2005 2,000 D \$ 44.1 (1) Stock Common 20,668.6354 I Stock Plan (2) Stock

Code V Amount

200

1,800

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

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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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		4.	5. onNumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration D		7. Titl		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Tear)	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of	(Month/Day/		Under Securi	rlying	Security (Instr. 5)	Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

# **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

STELLATO LOUIS E 101 PROSPECT AVENUE, N.W. CLEVELAND, OH 44115

VP, General Counsel and Secy

## **Signatures**

Louis E. Stellato 12/15/2005 \*\*Signature of Date 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).
- Of shares listed, 30,250 are restricted and 225.8002 are owned pursuant to the Dividend Reinvestment Plan per the trustee's 9/30/05 **(1)** statement.
- 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 9/30/05 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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