

Chemtura CORP  
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**FORM 4**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**HIGDON LEO I JR**

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
199 BENSON ROAD  
(Street)  
MIDDLEBURY, CT 06749  
(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**Chemtura CORP [CEM]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
01/24/2006

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock					9,881	D	
Common Stock					25,717	I	DIR/RABBI TRUST
Common Stock					454.6114	I	DRIP
Common Stock	01/24/2006		J <sup>(1)</sup>	6,140 A	\$ 12,215	12,268 I	Restricted Stock Account

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 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)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price or Value of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
NQ Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 7.25					10/22/2003	11/21/2012	Common Stock	9,655
NQ Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 7.92					10/23/2002	11/22/2011	Common Stock	8,838
NQ Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 8.1562					10/31/2001	11/30/2010	Common Stock	7,500
NQ Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 8.343					10/19/2000	10/19/2009	Common Stock	7,500
NQ Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 8.343					10/19/2000	11/19/2009	Common Stock	25,000
NQ Stock	\$ 13					08/04/1999	11/18/2005	Common Stock	1,538

Option (Right to Buy)					
NQ Stock					
Option \$ 14.3438 (Right to Buy)	08/05/1999	11/14/2008	Common Stock	5,752	
NQ Stock					
Option \$ 14.5 (Right to Buy)	08/04/1999	09/21/2006	Common Stock	10,000	
NQ Stock					
Option \$ 16.0625 (Right to Buy)	08/04/1999	02/24/2005	Common Stock	1,245	
NQ Stock					
Option \$ 16.875 (Right to Buy)	08/04/1999	11/16/2006	Common Stock	2,963	
NQ Stock					
Option \$ 26.4063 (Right to Buy)	08/04/1999	11/07/2007	Common Stock	1,893	

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HIGDON LEO I JR 199 BENSON ROAD MIDDLEBURY, CT 06749		X		

## Signatures

Leo I. Higdon, Jr.	01/26/2006
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

## 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).
- (1) The Reporting person received these shares of the Registrant's common stock in lieu of receiving a portion of his cash compensation for service as a member of the Board of Directors.

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