

Sparks Tamara Sue
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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 *
Sparks Tamara Sue

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
ANDERSONS INC [ANDE]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
480 W DUSSEL DR.

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
03/01/2012

____ Director
 Officer (give title below)
____ 10% Owner
____ Other (specify below)
VP, Corp. Relations/Business Anal

MAUMEE, OH 43537

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

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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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| | | | Code | V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price |
| COMMON STOCK | 03/01/2012 | | A | | 405 | A | \$ 0 |
| COMMON STOCK | 03/12/2012 | | J ⁽¹⁾ | | 227 | A | \$ 43.66 |
| PERFORMANCE SHARE UNIT | 03/12/2012 | | J ⁽²⁾ | | 227 | D | \$ 0 |
| PERFORMANCE SHARE UNIT (2015) | 03/01/2012 | | A | | 647 | A | \$ 0 |
| PERFORMANCE SHARE UNIT | | | | | | | 600 ⁽³⁾ |

PERFORMANCE
SHARE UNIT
(2014)

570 ⁽³⁾ D

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. Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| SOSAR | \$ 32.75 | | | | | 03/01/2011 04/01/2015 | COMMON STOCK | 850 |
| SOSAR | \$ 11.02 | | | | | 03/02/2010 03/31/2014 | COMMON STOCK | 720 |
| SOSAR | \$ 46.26 | | | | | 03/01/2009 04/01/2013 | COMMON STOCK | 550 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|-----------------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Sparks Tamara Sue 480 W DUSSEL DR. MAUMEE, OH 43537 | | | VP, Corp. Relations/Business Anal | |

Signatures

Tamara Sparks, By: Mary J. Schroeder, Limited Power of Attorney 03/14/2012

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) Shares received from vesting of PSU (Performance Share Unit). Agreement allows 75 days from performance end date to issue shares.

(2) PSU vested. Less than full value received and balance cancelled.

(3) Stock performance unit granted pursuant to The Andersons, Inc. Plan. Units vest 100% in 3 years contingent on cumulative EPS. Number of underlying shares are determined by the three-year cumulative fully diluted EPS for the performance period.

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