RPM INTERNATIONAL INC/DE/

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

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(Print or Type	e Responses)									
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SULLIVAN FRANK C			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol RPM INTERNATIONAL INC/DE/ [RPM]				_	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) 2628 PEA	(First) RL ROAD, P.O.	(Middle) BOX 777	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/05/2008			X Director X Officer (g below)				
MEDINIA	(Street)			nendment, Date C Ionth/Day/Year)	rigina	al		6. Individual o Applicable Line _X_ Form filed b Form filed b)	ng Person
MEDINA,	OH 44258							Person	•	1 0
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Ta	ble I - Non-Deriv	ative	Secu	rities Ac	quired, Disposed	d of, or Benef	ficially Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deeme Execution I any (Month/Da	Date, if	Transaction(A) o		posed		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
_				Code V Amo	ount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	10/05/2008			F(1) 18,6	53	D	\$ 17.74	520,444 (2)	D	
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value								3,824	I	By Thomas C. and Sandra S. Sullivan Irrevocable Grandchildren's Trust dated May 8, 2006

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Common Stock, \$0.01 par value			As custodian for son			
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Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	3,460 (3)	I	By 401(k) Plan			
Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of SEC 1474						

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

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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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or	nber Expiration Date Un (Month/Day/Year) (In ivative urities uured		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
					of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)				
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	<u>(4)</u>					<u>(5)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	545,600
Phantom Stock	<u>(4)</u> <u>(6)</u>					<u>(7)</u>	<u>(7)</u>	Common Stock	3,776
Stock Appreciation Rights	<u>(4)</u>					<u>(9)</u>	<u>(9)</u>	Common Stock	550,000

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
r	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
SULLIVAN FRANK C							
2628 PEARL ROAD	X		President and CEO				
P.O. BOX 777	Λ		riesiuciii aliu CEO				
MEDINA, OH 44258							

Signatures

/s/ Frank C. Sullivan, by Gregory J. Dziak, his attorney-in-fact pursuant to Power of Attorney dated May 14, 2007 on file with the Commission

10/06/2008

**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).
- On October 5, 2008, 45,000 shares of Common Stock issued to the reporting person as Performance Earned Restricted Stock pursuant to (1) the RPM International Inc. 2004 Omnibus Equity and Incentive Plan (the "Plan") vested. In accordance with the Plan, the reporting person disposed of 18,653 shares of Common Stock back to the Issuer to satisfy tax obligations of the reporting person.
 - Includes an aggregate of 53,661 shares of Common Stock issued pursuant to the 1997 RPM International Inc. Restricted Stock Plan, as amended, 16,746 shares of Common Stock issued pursuant to the 2007 RPM International Inc. Restricted Stock Plan, 90,000 shares of
- (2) Common Stock, issued as Performance Contingent Restricted Stock, pursuant to the RPM International Inc. 2004 Omnibus Equity and Incentive Plan, and 105,000 shares of Common Stock, issued as Performance Earned Restricted Stock, pursuant to the RPM International Inc. 2004 Omnibus Equity and Incentive Plan.
- (3) Approximate number of shares held as of October 3, 2008 in the account of reporting person by Wachovia Bank, N.A., as Trustee of the RPM International Inc. 401(k) Trust and Plan, as amended.
- (4) No transaction is being reported on this line. Reported on a previously filed Form 3, Form 4, or Form 5.
- Granted pursuant to the RPM International Inc. 1996 Key Employees Stock Option Plan, as amended, in an exempt transaction under (5) Rule 16b-3. These options vest and become exercisable in 25% increments over four years commencing one year after the date of grant. These options were granted between 1999 and 2004 and expire 10 years from the date of grant.
- (**6**) 1-for-1
- (7) Upon cessation of employment in accordance with the terms and conditions of the RPM International Inc. Deferred Compensation Plan, as amended.
- (8) These phantom stock units represent the stock equivalent value of the restricted stock dividends held in the reporting person's account under the RPM International Inc. Deferred Compensation Plan, as amended, and dividends accrued thereon.
- Stock Appreciation Rights granted pursuant to the RPM International Inc. 2004 Omnibus Equity and Incentive Plan in an exempt (9) transaction under Rule 16b-3. These Stock Appreciation Rights vest in four equal installments commencing one year after the date of grant. These Stock Appreciation Rights were granted between 2005 and 2007 and expire 10 years from the date of grant.

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