

CHEMED CORP  
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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 \*  
**WILLIAMS DAVID PATRICK**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

2600 CHEMED CENTER, 255  
EAST FIFTH STREET

(Street)

CINCINNATI, OH 45202

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**CHEMED CORP [CHE]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
11/11/2008

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)  
executive vice president & CFO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
capital stock	11/11/2008		M		20,000	A	\$ 17.93 81,329
capital stock	11/11/2008		F(1)		12,898	D	\$ 43.23 68,431
capital stock	11/11/2008		M		10,000	A	\$ 21.78 78,431
capital stock	11/11/2008		F(1)		6,524	D	\$ 43.23 71,907
capital stock	11/11/2008		S		5,129	D	\$ 42.16 66,778

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capital stock	11/12/2008	S	16,671	D	\$ 40.898	50,107	D	
capital stock						1,600	I	by IRA

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)		
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
stock option(right to buy with tandem tax withholding)	\$ 43.23	11/11/2008		M	20,000	11/19/2003	05/19/2013	capital stock	20,000
stock option(right to buy with tandem tax withholding)	\$ 43.23	11/11/2008		M	10,000	11/17/2004	05/17/2014	capital stock	10,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
WILLIAMS DAVID PATRICK 2600 CHEMED CENTER 255 EAST FIFTH STREET CINCINNATI, OH 45202			executive vice president & CFO	

## Signatures

David P.  
Williams

11/13/2008

\_\_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).

(1) Payment of purchase price and tax obligation on stock option exercise.

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